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## Name New Board At City Hospital

### Group of Nine Men Selected Sunday to Manage Business Affairs of Association

A group of nine men from Hamlin and surrounding area was named to serve as directors for the Hamlin Memorial Hospital Association, in a meeting in the High School auditorium Sunday afternoon.

The meeting had been called by Bowen Pope, active for the past year in management of the hospital affairs, after a previously selected board had declined to serve.

W L Fletcher Jr., was selected as temporary chairman for Sunday's meeting and M S Johnson was named as secretary.

More than 130 people gathered for the meeting, which was the third called during the past several weeks for the purpose of effecting an organization for the institution.

A section of the constitution adopted for the association was read by Johnson, and several stockholders present made brief talks on the organization and asked questions concerning certain phases of operation.

Pope, who has served as secretary of the association gave a financial report in which he detailed income and expense of the hospital. He said it is his opinion that the hospital can be made to pay its own way and retire all indebtedness against it.

In a brief talk to the stockholders Pope said, "I have served as secretary of this association and manager of the hospital until my strength is exhausted. I have done my best. Now it is time for me to retire from the job and turn it over to someone else."

"For today," he continued, "I will be only a member of the association, because I am no longer going to take an active part in its management. What you people do with the hospital after today is your business. And whatever you decide to do, you will find me willing to go along."

"I am ashamed of our town for the confusion that has resulted recently from this business," he went on. "We have two of the finest doctors in the country in our hospital and they can be run off by such

Mrs. Lola Harbert and daughter, Mrs. Jim Richardson, visited relatives in Denton and Dallas, and attended the State Fair this week. Mrs. Richardson is on vacation from the Sundown post office.

## Mighty Mice Defeat Rotan; Ready To Meet Anson in Thursday's Game

Bouncing back with a vengeance after their defeat at Stamford two weeks ago, the Mighty Mice trounced the Rotan team in a game on the Hamlin field last Thursday night 35 to 13.

The game was definitely Hamlin's throughout and the juniors were able to score almost at will.

Points were made by the following players: Bryce Hargrove 18; Milton Butler 12; Loyce Hargrove 7; Robert Fletcher 1. A setback penalty for the Rotan team accounted for the other two points in the final score.

The Mice have been going through their drill this week under the tutelage of Coach Johnny Howell, and are in excellent condition for Thursday night's tussle, when they will face the Anson Juniors on Anson's home field.

The Anson team has been playing good ball, Howell said Wednesday, but they lost to Stamford by a score of 14-13.

"The Mighty Mice ought to be

## Hospital Auxiliary Is Organized Here

First meeting of the Hamlin Memorial Hospital Auxiliary, was held in the City Hall Tuesday afternoon, when plans were made for aiding the operation of the cooperative institution.

Mrs. W. Wallace was named chairman of the group and announced that a chairman will be appointed later from each church in Hamlin.

The next meeting will be held in the City Hall Wednesday afternoon, October 27 at 3:00 o'clock. All women of Hamlin are invited to attend.

## Fletcher Is Named as Hospital Board Head

W L Fletcher Jr., was elected president of the Hamlin Memorial Hospital board in an organization meeting held Tuesday evening in the reception room of the hospital.

Other officers named are J C Turner Jr., vice president, and Clifford B Phelps, secretary-treasurer. Other directors are M S Johnson, F W Poe, Tom Vaughan, Raleigh Reynolds, C E Gregory and Alton Mayfield.

The board authorized Dr J F Hoot and Dr E L Haag to secure the services of two registered nurses, a laboratory technician and a practical nurse for full time employees of the institution.

It was voted to employ a certified public accountant to audit the financial affairs of the hospital and to issue a public statement of the condition.

A new schedule of room charges was adopted with room rates set at \$7.50 and \$6.50 per day. Members will be given \$1.50 per day discount on rooms, the board agreed.

## Pipers Will Meet Roscoe Friday

### Two Men Suffer Injuries During Week But Team Ready for Loop Contest

With two men out of the lineup because of knee injuries suffered during a week of drill and scrimmage, the Hamlin Piped Pipers will be thrown against the Roscoe team here Friday night in the first conference tilt of the season.

The injured players are Thee Hill and J B May. Coach Jesse Burditt said Wednesday that the injured knees may heal sufficiently by Friday to permit the boys to participate, but they probably won't be in the starting lineup.

The Pipers enjoyed a period of inactivity last week when they had no scheduled game, and Burditt said the rest they received is showing up in renewed determination of team members to win Friday's game.

Roscoe won from Merkel last Friday 7-6, and the Pipers are expected to have a tough time with the visitors.

Coach Burditt, who scouted the Merkel-Roscoe game, said the Roscoe team played bang-up football. In spite of losses to Spur and Anson, the Pipers have a perfect record in the western half of the conference, as they have not played a loop game this season.

As of this week, the standing of teams in both halves of the loop was as follows:

Conference Standing				
(East)				
Team	W	L	Pct.	
Albany	1	0	1.000	
Anson	1	0	1.000	
Throckm.	1	0	1.000	
Haskell	1	1	.500	
Stamford	0	1	.000	
Munday	0	2	.000	
(West)				
Team	W	L	Pct.	
Rotan	1	0	1.000	
Colorado City	1	0	1.000	
Roscoe	1	0	1.000	
Hamlin	0	0	1.000	
Merkel	0	1	.000	
Snyder	0	2	.000	

(Based on conference games only)

**This Week's Games**  
(East)  
Stamford at Albany\*  
Ballinger at Haskell  
Anson at Throckmorton\*  
Munday (open)

(West)  
Roscoe at Hamlin\*  
Winters at Merkel  
Roby at Snyder  
Colorado City at Rotan\*  
(\*Conference games)

**Last Week's Results**  
(East)  
Stamford 6, Haskell 12  
Albany (open)  
Anson 31, Munday 7  
Throckmorton 13, Winters 38

(West)  
Hamlin (open)  
Colorado City 27, Snyder 18  
Merkel 6, Roscoe 7  
Rotan 18, Ballinger 7

## Open House Planned For Continental Oil

In observance of Oil Progress Day, October 14, the Continental Oil Company in Hamlin announced that "open house" will be held by that company throughout Thursday.

The public was invited to visit the bulk plant in Hamlin and inspect the storage facilities, Elmer Feagan, agent here, said.

E. R. HARPER

## County's Cotton Crop Estimate Is For Half of 1947

An official report from Bowen Pope, special agent for the Department of Commerce, revealed that 5,455 bales had been ginned in Jones County prior to October 1, as compared with 7,110 bales ginned prior to October 1, 1947.

Jones County's 1948 cotton crop will be approximately one half of the amount of cotton produced in the 1947 season; county ginner's estimate of this week.

With the picking season said to be at least 40 per cent completed, less than half of the number of bales ginned last year have been processed.

Last year Jones County produced a total of 30,043 bales, and cotton men estimate this year's crop will not exceed 18,000 bales.

However, it was reported, ginner's are finding the staple to be of unusually good quality and the grade is good.

In Hamlin, where the season was slow to get started, the two gins had processed only 754 bales prior to Wednesday of this week.

The Producers Gin had handled a total of 400 bales, and the Farmers Cooperative Gin reported 354 bales.

The rain of Saturday and Sunday caused all cotton harvesting to stop and pickers were not able to enter the fields for several days. However, ginner's said with clear weather returning, the harvest will be resumed and it is expected to be completed before the latter part of November.

## Receipts Slump At Post Office From Last Year

Postal receipts in Hamlin for the first three quarters of 1948 slumped approximately 10 per cent from the total for the same period of 1947, Perry Sparks, post master, said this week.

The total for the first nine months of 1947 was \$15,483.53, the post master said, compared with \$14,578 for the first nine months of 1948.

The third quarter of 1948 brought total receipts of \$4,494.69 as compared with \$4,690.30 for the third quarter of 1947.

Record high receipts for all times was set in 1945 when the post office took in from all sources a total of \$25,314.76.

Receipts for 1946 were \$21,217, and for 1947, \$22,188.90.

Sparks said a large share of the slump is due to the closing out of the Hamlin Hatchery, which did a large amount of mail order business while it was in operation.

Mrs. Landin Davis and daughter, Louisa, spent the first of the week as guests of Mrs. Davis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Buck Wilemon.

R N Fairley left Saturday for Fort Worth to join Mrs. Fairley and their son, James, where they will make their home. The Fairleys have been residents of Hamlin for the past year.

## Church of Christ Revival to Open Here Wednesday

A series of gospel meetings will open in the Hamlin Church of Christ Wednesday, October 20, according to J Cleo Scott, minister.

Preaching for the series of meetings will be E R Harper of Abilene, well known evangelist and widely acclaimed as a radio minister.

Conducting the singing will be Milton Fletcher, former Hamlin resident, and now song leader for the Preston Roads Church of Christ in Dallas.

Fletcher is a graduate of Hamlin High School and later attended Abilene Christian College in Abilene.

The meetings will be conducted each evening at 7:30 and each afternoon at 3, Scott said.

The public is invited to attend the series, which will close Sunday, October 31.

## Mrs. Kite Is Injured In Automobile Crash

Mrs. R L Kite suffered painful injuries early Monday when the automobile she was driving was struck by another car in Abilene. Mrs. Kite had driven to Abilene with her husband, who planned to take a train for Odessa, where he is employed.

After treatment in Hendrick Memorial Hospital, Mrs. Kite was removed by ambulance to the Hamlin Memorial Hospital, where she is recuperating.

## History of Oil Industry Given In Rotary Talk

A history of the oil industry and its phenomenal growth during the 90 years of its existence was given at a meeting of the Hamlin Rotary Club Wednesday by Eddie Jay, a member of the club.

Jay, who was introduced by Elmer Feagan, as a speaker in observance of Oil Progress Day, outlined the growth of oil production, of refining and of transportation.

He said that average per capita consumption of oil products in the United States is 636 gallons annually. "There are more than 1200 products," he said, "made from petroleum and used by millions of Americans in their daily lives."

The oil industry got its start in 1859 when a well was drilled at Titusville, Pennsylvania, by hand power. Oil was discovered there at a depth of 63 feet, and the drilling operation took several months.

Today, Jay said, a well can be sunk several thousand feet in the course of only a few days by means of power-driven rotary equipment.

The speaker said that 2,000,000 people are employed in the United States in oil production or refining, and there are more than 150,000 miles of pipelines to carry the crude or the finished products across the country.

A large group of guests from Abilene and Stamford were introduced at the meeting. Joe Culbertson, chairman of the Boy Scout drive in Hamlin made a brief talk in which he asked participation of the Rotarians in the fund raising campaign. The club voted to pay \$25 from its treasury into the Scout fund.

## Rotary Governor to Visit Here Wednesday

Hamlin's Rotary Club will be host to Bill Todd of Fort Worth, Rotary District Governor, in the noon meeting of the organization next Wednesday, Bill Terry, president, has announced.

Todd will come here for a meeting with the board of directors next Tuesday night, and will speak to the club at its regular weekly luncheon.

Hamlin High School's pep squad members will be dressed in new uniforms for the first time Friday night, when they will appear at the Hamlin-Roscoe game.

The new uniforms are green gabardine, military style, with white braid. The drum major's uniform is white gabardine with gold braid, and the cheer leaders and majorettes will be dressed in white gabardine with green braid.

The uniforms have been on order for several weeks.

MILTON FLETCHER

## Jones Leads Area In Oil Production

### Fisher Ranks Seventh in District 7-B, With Production Still Climbing

On the basis of allowable production of oil, Jones County has forged into the lead as a producer of crude oil in District 7-B, it was learned this week.

With an estimated annual production of 6,000,000 barrels, Jones was far ahead of Stephens County, its nearest competitor, which will produce approximately 3,500,000 barrels under the Railroad Commission allowable.

The 7-B district is composed of 17 West Texas Counties, including Brown, Callahan, Coleman, Comanche, Eastland, Erath, Fisher, Haskell, Jones, Palo Pinto, Shackelford, Stephens, Stonewall, Taylor, Throckmorton and the Chico field of Wise County.

Oil was first produced in Jones County in 1926, when a field was brought in in the Noodle area. Since that time production of oil has spread to almost every part of the county and new wells are being brought in almost daily.

In 1938, Jones County had 423 producing wells and production had climbed to 450,000 barrels. At the present time there are more than 1,000 wells producing the county's 6,000,000 barrels.

In the Jones County fields last week, activity nearest Hamlin was reported as follows: A west extension was assured for the new King sand area, eight miles west of Anson, as operators waited for cement to set before drilling the plug on the North American Oil Company's No. 1 J M Arnett.

Casing was cemented at the top

## Calf Roping to Be Staged Near Hamlin Sunday

Matched calf roping, sponsored by the Hamlin Rodeo Association, will be staged one mile west of Hamlin on the Aspermont highway Sunday afternoon.

The program is slated to get underway at 2:00 o'clock Sunday afternoon.

Joe Gray of Hamlin is matched against John Wallace of Haskell in the roping of eight calves. Weldon Rutledge of Abilene will compete against Ed Wilfong of Haskell in the roping of six calves.

In addition to the matched roping on program for the day, a jack-pot roping event is planned.

## Public Is Invited to Inspect City Budget

The public will be invited to inspect the annual budget for Hamlin, which will be available at a meeting of the City Council in the City Hall next Tuesday night.

Any resident of Hamlin will be permitted to be present at the discussion of the year's receipts and expenditures.

## "INTO BYWAYS AND HEDGES . . ."

## Hamlin Church of Christ Announces Ambitious Missionary Plan in Japan

The membership of the Hamlin Church of Christ is taking literally the Scriptural injunction to "Go into the byways and hedges" for converts.

A church of only 175 membership, according to J Cleo Scott, minister, the local congregation is preparing to spend approximately \$20,000 during the next two years to carry its message to the people of Japan.

At present the church is busily engaged in the long-distance erection of a church building in the island empire of America's former enemies.

The building, together with a pastor's home, will cost in the neighborhood of \$15,000, Scott said.

A minister will be employed for the Japanese congregation, and his salary will be paid by the Hamlin Church of Christ. A salary for the man has been set at \$250 per month.

ter a drill stem test from that point of the King sand at 3,133 feet, at a total depth of 3,140 feet had given 100 feet of oil in one and one half hours.

In the Hamlin field, in Fisher County, the Dr Bryant No. 4 hit the Reef at 4,800 feet and cemented casing. Operators were preparing to drill the plug Thursday and the well is expected to be tested before the end of the week.

Oil men said the well promises to be as good a producer as the other three Bryant wells recently completed.

Dr Bryant was moving his rig to a new location on the southwest corner of the southwest quarter of section 213, where he planned to put down the Eleanor Towne No. 1.

The well will be located 660 feet due east of the other Bryant wells. It was believed drilling operations would get underway late this week on the new test.

## District Cager Group Formed In Meeting in City

Reorganization of District 5-A Basketball Association was effected in a meeting in the Hamlin High School building Monday evening.

Representatives from Anson, Albany, Haskell, Merkel, Roby, Roscoe, Rotan, Snyder, Stamford and Hamlin were present and discussed plans for the year's play.

R A McCollum, superintendent of Merkel schools was reelected chairman of the organization.

The district was reorganized on the same basis as last year, with additional schools voted into the loop. The members of the group last year are Anson, Stamford, Hamlin, Rotan, Colorado City and Snyder.

Voted into membership are Merkel, Roscoe, Loraine, Roby, Haskell, Throckmorton, Albany and Munday.

The 5-A district was divided into two halves, I R Huchingson, superintendent of Hamlin Schools, said. The east half will include Stamford, Haskell, Anson, Throckmorton, Albany and Munday.

A double round robin will be played and the two top teams in each half will then meet for a tournament to determine the district championship.

## Rainfall Saturday, Sunday, 1.73 Inches

Breaking the douth that had gripped this area for many months, a general rainfall which began early Saturday morning, left almost two inches of moisture during two days of precipitation.

Rainfall gauged Saturday at the City Pump Station measured .99 of an inch. Saturday night the rain measured .74 of an inch to total the 1.73 inches.

The new church is being constructed in Fuzawa, and it is expected that it will be completed within a few months and be ready for the conducting of services.

The auditorium of the building will seat 500 people, Scott said, and class rooms will be provided to care for the same number for use of Bible classes.

The Hamlin church is inviting the Anson Church of Christ to cooperate in the program of sponsoring this missionary enterprise, but the local congregation will carry out the plans regardless of whether Anson aids or not.

"We know it is quite an undertaking," Scott said, "but we are determined to complete it, and we are prepared to spend at least \$10,000 a year for the next two years to finance the proposal."



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brought to the attention of the management.

## Building Better Boys

A movement that has for its sole purpose the building of better boys and the growing of better men has received scant attention in Hamlin as compared with its reception in other towns of comparable size.

The movement in question is the Boy Scout movement, which for years has succeeded in giving boys a needed outlet for their energies, and creating higher ideals for their plans in life.

Joe Culbertson, who was named chairman for a fund raising campaign in Hamlin, reported this week that he had been unable to secure proper cooperation from many Hamlin business and civic leaders.

Such a situation should bring shame to the hearts of every resident of our town. Such a situation should not be permitted to exist in a progressive community such as that we have here.

The boys of Hamlin need scouting, and the business and professional men of Hamlin owe their solid support of this program to the youths who will in a few years take the places of all of us in business and civic matters.

It is passing strange that community leaders will get up plenty of enthusiasm when a fat stock show is presented, and they will work long and assiduously to promote some community project that involves better crops or better chickens, but when called upon to take a small part in a plan for building better boys they immediately begin to make excuses. Surely men who do this have not considered the matter deeply.

Joe Culbertson and J. Cleo Scott have done their share toward sponsoring an active Boy Scout program in Hamlin. They have gone to the limit of their ability in trying to interest others in the plan. But in spite of what work they have done—together with the aid of others—they have been unable to create enthusiastic response among other residents here.

It is not Joe Culbertson and Cleo Scott that we are letting down. The program can mean no material advantage to either of them. No, we're not letting them down at all, but we are letting down the boys of Hamlin who look to us for leadership, and who must stand mutely by wondering if we are more interested in fine farm animals than we are in better young men.

Hamlin needs the scouting program—Hamlin's boys need the training they can get in the program—but we can never have it unless we are willing to give of our time, our talents and our money.

## Lack of Courtesy

West Texas is famed for the courtesy and hospitality of its citizens, and the friendliness of people of this area has become legendary throughout the length and breadth of the land.

However, there is an occasion when West Texans lose their traditional courteous manner and revert to the boorish attitude commonly attributed to people from sections of the country far distant from this area.

There seems to be a change in attitude of Texans when they get behind the wheels of automobiles and drive on the highways of this vicinity.

Recently a motorist, coming from Abilene late at night, reported he had met 23 automobiles whose drivers refused to dim their glaring lights; 19 others would not dim their lights until they had been signalled several times by the driver who reported the incident, and some dimmed when only a few feet from the other car.

Bright, blinding lights at night can contribute easily to serious automobile wrecks, and many fatal accidents no doubt have been caused by this factor.

It is a simple thing to touch the dimming button and throw the beam of light to the right of oncoming traffic, and such an action is a courtesy due the driver approaching.

Texans have plenty of courtesy and plenty of friendliness and plenty of hospitality, but many of them seem to lose all of these attributes when they take the wheel of their automobiles.

Politicians are funny—for instance Candidate Truman takes credit for high wages and high prices for farm products, but denies responsibility for high costs of living. While on the other hand Candidate Wallace says wages need to go up another 25 per cent and prices need to come down at last 30 per cent. It's difficult to see how we can have high wages without charging high prices for commodities the public needs to buy. After all, wages constitute an ingredient of the cost of production.

The breaking of our searing drought by last week's bountiful rains should give all of us occasion for reflection upon the providence of God. It matters not how carefully a farmer tends his lands, nor what kind of seeds he plants, unless God sends the moisture the fertile lands of Texas remain barren and unproductive.

## THE AMERICAN WAY

HE LOOKED LIKE  
SUCH A NICE  
LITTLE POOCH—  
WOULD MAKE A  
GOOD FAMILY PET!



BUT WHEN HE  
GREW UP—  
THEY COULDN'T  
GET RID OF HIM!



My, How It Grows!

## At Local Area --

### CHURCHES

(Editor's Note—We of The Herald would like to have all the church news from the surrounding communities. Send the news to us, please!)

#### FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

Will C. House, D. D. Minister  
Joe A. Simpson, superintendent.  
Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.  
Sunday School 10:00 a. m.  
Evening Worship 7:30 p. m.  
Mid-Week Service, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.

#### FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. A. R. Posey, Pastor  
Sunday School 10:00 a. m.  
Preaching 11:00 a. m.  
Training Union 7:00 p. m.  
Evening Preaching 8:00 p. m.  
Prayer Meeting, Wednesday 8:00 p. m.  
WMU, Monday, 2:30 p. m.  
GA (Girls) Monday 4:00 p. m.  
RA (Boys) Monday 4:00 p. m.

#### CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

Rev. Howard Smith, Pastor  
Sunday School 9:45 a. m.  
Preaching 10:45 a. m.  
N. Y. P. S. 7:15 p. m.  
Evening Service 8:00 p. m.  
Mid-Week Prayer Service, Wednesday 8:15 p. m.  
W. F. M. S., Mondays 3:00 p. m.

#### FOUR SQUARE CHURCH

Rev. Alice Harrell, Pastor  
Sunday School 9:45 a. m.  
Morning Preaching 11:00 a. m.  
Crusaders 6:30 p. m.  
Preaching 7:45 p. m.  
Prayer Meeting, Wednesday at 7:45 p. m.  
Bible Study, Friday 7:45 p. m.  
Circle for Ladies Missionary Society held each Monday in different homes at 2:30 p. m.  
Services held at the Gravel Pit each Thursday at 7:45 p. m.

#### CHURCH OF CHRIST

J. Cleo Scott, Minister  
Morning Bible Class 9:45 a. m.  
Morning Worship 10:50 a. m.  
Evening Bible Class 6:45 p. m.  
Evening Worship Hour 7:30 p. m.  
Bible Study, Wednesday 7:30 p. m.

#### UNITED PENTECOSTAL CHURCH

Donald F. Berry, Pastor  
Sunday School 10:00 a. m.  
Morning Preaching 11:00 a. m.  
Evening Preaching 8:00 p. m.  
Prayer Meeting, Wednesday at 8:00 p. m.  
Bible Study, Friday 8:00 p. m.  
Woman's Missionary, Tuesday at 2:00 p. m.

#### CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. W. E. Nunn, Pastor  
Sunday School 10:00 a. m.  
Preaching Service 11:00 a. m.  
Training Union 7:00 p. m.  
Preaching Hour 8:00 p. m.  
Prayer Meeting, Wednesday at 8:00 p. m.  
W. M. S. 2:30 p. m.  
Choir Practice, Friday 8:00 p. m.

#### FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD

Rev. Lester M. Woods, Pastor  
Sunday School 10:00 a. m.  
Morning Preaching 11:00 a. m.  
Evangelistic Service 7:30 p. m.  
C. A. Service, every Tuesday night, 7:30 p. m.

Morning Service 11:00 a. m.  
Evening Service 8:00 p. m.

#### GOLAN METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. William McReynolds, Pastor  
Every third Sunday preaching service.  
Sunday School 10:00 a. m.  
Morning Service 11:00 a. m.  
Evening Service 8:00 p. m.

#### DOVIE METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. Olin Butler, Pastor  
Sunday School 10:00 a. m.  
Morning Service 11:00 a. m.  
Prayer Service 7:30 p. m.  
Evening Service 8:00 p. m.

#### SYLVESTER METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. Elra Phillips, Pastor  
Sunday School 10:00 a. m.  
Preaching 11:00 a. m.  
M. Y. F. 7:15 p. m.  
Evening Service 8:00 p. m.  
Mid-Week Prayer Service, Wednesday 8:15 p. m.  
W. S. C. S., Mondays 3:00 p. m.

## Taylor County Asks For Jones Farm Agent

A request was filed with W. I. Marchal, district farm agent at San Angelo, last week by the Taylor County Commissioners for the transfer of H. C. Stanley to serve as Taylor County agent.

Stanley is at present serving as Jones County agent, with headquarters in Anson.

Appointment of Stanley to Taylor County is a matter for the Extension Department to determine, it was pointed out, and no information as to whether the request will be granted was available.

## IN CALLAN HOSPITAL

Hamlin residents who received treatment in the Callan Hospital in Rotan last week are: Juana Basilio and Mrs. Lydia Miller. Mrs. W. A. Kemp underwent surgery in the Rotan institution and Mrs. Harold Bonner underwent a tonsilectomy. Mrs. Eliza Early of Sylvester also was a patient in Callan Hospital last week.

## OCTOBER SPECIAL

Special during the month of October—all quilts, blankets and bed spreads will be reduced in price so that you may prepare for winter at a great saving.

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## NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

The annual budget of the City of Hamlin, for the 1948-49 fiscal year, will be presented at the next meeting of the City Council, Tuesday evening, October 19 at 7:30.

## Farm Loan Plans—

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## ROBBERS, MURDERERS, CROOKS . . .

### All Get Chance to Star in Prison's Annual Rodeo; Inmate Writes Story

By Doug Harmon, Inmate Reporter

My rodeo assignment began several weeks ago when the riders first started coming in off the farms to try out for the 17th Annual Prison Rodeo. The editor asked me to cover the try-outs and stay with the riders throughout the series of six October performances.

It's an experience I wouldn't trade. I've learned to know these riders. To those in the world "outside," they're robbers, murderers, swindlers, and bad actors of every description. Penologists say that men like this, convicts, are non-cooperative, and lack the spirit to do a job well. They should know these men.

As a group, these inmates who risk being mauled, maimed or killed at very performance, have the spirit of a college football team, stalling individually, but working as a team, to the best interests of the Prison Rodeo. There are old-timers, top hands in their youth, now paying the State of Texas for a breach of code, with the twilight of their lives, and youngsters who would be top hands in any outfit, were it not for a previous mis-step. Newcomers, oldsters, Texans, and outstater are working together, pulling together, doing their level best to make each Prison Rodeo the very best one.

After last Sunday's show, I was asked which event seemed to be the most outstanding. From my positions at the chutes, wild bull riding seems to me to be the highlight.

The bulls, brought in from the Brazoria bottom-lands, are the most evil-tempered beasts in the entire show. Not satisfied with merely unseating their riders, these bulls usually attempt to maul fallen riders, and don't through the ceaseless vigil.

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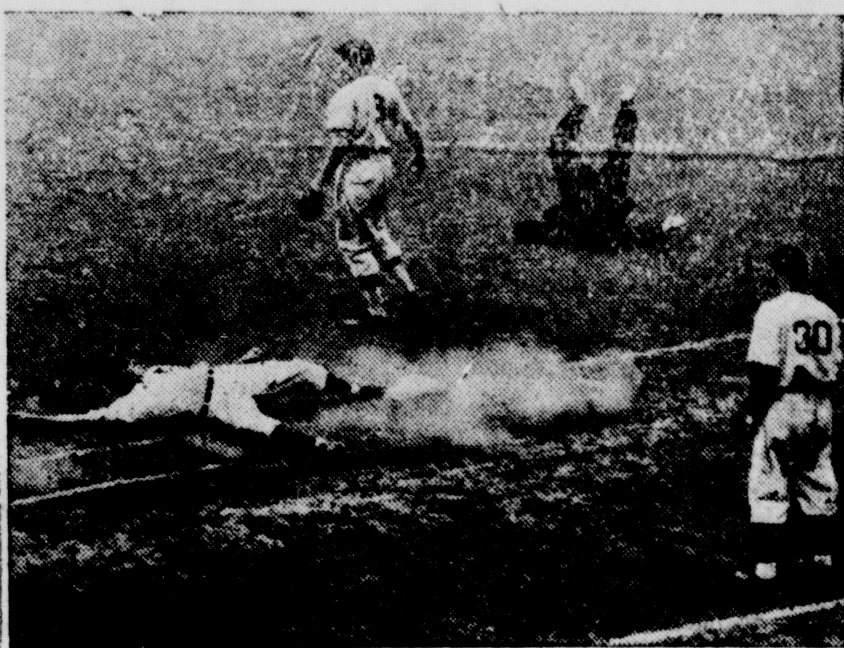
So, next Sunday or any Sunday this month, come on to Huntsville and see this greatest of all prison shows, reserved seats are only \$2, and there'll be plenty of general admission tickets at \$1. You'll get your money's worth and you can take it straight from a convict—every cent made on the 17th Annual Prison Rodeo goes for a worthy cause. It is spent for our very own education and recreation.

### Dads' Day Is Planned For Texas U, Oct. 16

"Dads' Day" will be observed at the University of Texas October 16.

Prizes will be given the day who has the most children in the University; the oldest dad, and youngest dad, and the one who comes farthest to the celebration.

The dean of student life office, with the aid of service organizations including the Cowboys, Alpha Phi Omega, Silver Spurs, Orange Jackets, and Mortar Board, are planning events for the day. A get-acquainted hour will be held from 9:00 to 10:00 a m in the Texas Union, and coffee will be served from 10:00 to 10:45 a m in the cafeteria. Climax of the day will be attendance at the University of Texas-Arkansas football game.



An umpire has his ups and downs, as shown in this novel Speed Graphic shot made at Briggs Stadium, Detroit. The runner was safe but the first baseman, in covering the bag, accidentally knocked over the umpire. Photographer Monroe Stroecker used a special camera focusing device that can be adjusted rapidly to follow the fast-moving play.

### World Cotton Production to Catch Up With Consumption; Price May Go Down

World production of cotton this year will equal if not exceed consumption, Dr. A B Cox, University of Texas professor of cotton marketing, reported.

This should be a signal to cotton growers to readjust their farming operations to a relatively lower price level for cotton. Fortunately for the United States most of the increase in supply is a result of a record yield per acre which has generally served to lower cost of production.

The world demand for cotton is very large provided the people of the world have the means to buy. There are two sources of buying power for cotton at the present time: the exchange of goods and services and the policy of the federal government to help finance the recovery.

#### PENNYS ARE GUESTS.

Mr and Mrs Thomas Penny Jr., and little daughter, Barbara Jean, are guests this week of Penny's parents, Mr and Mrs T A Penny of Hamlin. Penny recently completed basic training at Fort Ord, California, and is being transferred to Camp Kilmer, New Jersey. From there he will be sent to Germany for occupation duty.

### Katy Carloadings Continue Up Trend

Carloadings on the Katy Railroad are continuing their upward swing, it was reported this week.

For the week ending October 2, 1948, a total of 7,184 cars were loaded.

Mrs A G Jackson went to Lubbock Tuesday to be a guest of her parents.

### Campaign Planned by GOP Candidate Porter

A statewide campaign, designed to take his candidacy into every section of Texas, is planned by Jack Porter, Republican candidate for United States Senate, it was announced this week.

Porter, a native of Weatherford, is a former member of the Democratic party. He is stressing his belief in states' rights as part of his platform.

Dr and Mrs Don Gould attended the Jones and Taylor County Chiropractors meeting in Hamlin Tuesday evening. The meeting was in the home of Dr W R C Allan.

Frank Albert Tucker spent Saturday night and Sunday in Abilene as a guest of relatives.

Mr and Mrs E T Simonton and daughter Beverly Ann, spent the week-end as guests of Mr and Mrs T A Penny in Hamlin.

#### BANK HAS HOLIDAY.

The Farmers & Merchants National Bank of Hamlin observed Tuesday, October 12 as a holiday in honor of Columbus' discovery of America. The bank was closed all day.

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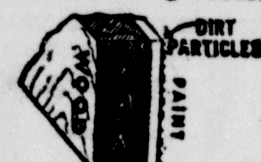
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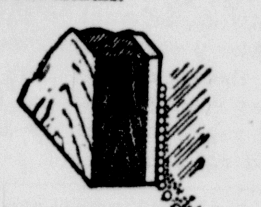
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## Mrs. D. J. Turner Is Honored With Luncheon on Birthday Anniversary

Members of the Dorcus Sunday School class of the First Baptist Church honored Mrs. D. J. Turner Sr., with a luncheon on her birthday anniversary last Tuesday when they met in the Turner home at 1:00 o'clock.

After a prayer by Mrs. Joe Simpson, a corsage of tiny Sweetheart roses was pinned on the honoree by Mrs. Etta Stephenson, teacher of the class.

A huge birthday cake, decorated with pink and green roses, one rose for Mrs. Turner and one for each of her children, was presented by Mrs. L. S. McGee. Across the top of the cake were the words "Happy Birthday Stella." The group then joined in singing Happy Birthday to You.

Following the lunch the guests gathered in the living room, which had been decorated with pats of ivy, pink carnations and pink and red rose bus. A devotional was given by Mrs. M. P. May on the theme, "She Did What She Could." Following the devotional the guests sang "Blest Be the Tie That Binds."

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Mrs. J. G. Smith gave a reading, "A Woman that is Loved." Mrs. W. B. Boyd, president of the Dorcus class, presented the gifts, after which Mrs. Joe Simpson gave a talk on Love, Friendship, and Spiritual Inspiration.

Following a prayer by Mrs. W. L. Boyd the group was dismissed by singing "God Be With You Till We Meet Again."

Invited guests were: Mrs. Nettie B. Williams, daughter of Mrs. Turner, Mrs. Joe Simpson, Mrs. Fred B. Moore Sr., and Mrs. Carl Greenway.

Honorary class members present were: Mrs. M. P. May and Mrs. W. L. Boyd.

Regular members of the class present were: Mrs. Etta Stephenson, Mrs. L. S. McGee, Mrs. Mattie Bruner, Mrs. L. V. Catherin, Mrs. D. L. Bristow, Mrs. Wade Davis, Mrs. N. E. Money, Mrs. Minnie Cooper, Mrs. W. B. Boyd, Mrs. Annie Sherry, Mrs. Martha Music, Mrs. J. G. Smith, Mrs. J. M. McGough, Mrs. Joe B. Miller and the honoree, Mrs. Turner.

## Hamlin Births

To Mr. and Mrs. Jim Irwin, a daughter, October 11, in Hamlin Memorial Hospital. The child has been named Andrea Celeste.

Mr. and Mrs. Tate May went to Abilene Wednesday afternoon to attend dedication ceremonies for the Hunter Memorial Hall at Hardin-Simmons University.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack White went to Comanche Sunday to be with White's mother, who is seriously ill.

## WSCS Group Studied Alaska Last Monday

In a program led by Mrs. Brad Rowland, the Women's Society for Christian Service of the Hamlin Methodist Church, studied Alaska in their meeting last Monday.

A large map of Alaska, showing where Methodist missions are located, was used to illustrate the work being done in the territory.

The meeting was held in the Methodist parsonage with Mrs. Jim Mills and Mrs. Lewis Madden as hostesses.

On the program were: Mrs. D. W. Carlton, Mrs. W. B. Cotten and Mrs. A. A. Hackley.

Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served to the members and three visitors, Mrs. Carl Murrell, Mrs. Elmer Teague and Mrs. Bob Harwell.

## Officers Are Named For Baptist Class

Organization of the 14-year-old girls class of the First Baptist Sunday School was effected Sunday when members of the group elected officers, and chose a name.

Name selected for the class is "Always Ready," and the class song is "Ready." The aim and goal of the group is "To enter every door of service for the Lord."

Teacher of the class is Mrs. M. P. May, and officers chosen are: Jerry Lee, president; Mary Lee Rowland, vice president; June Carter, secretary-treasurer; Adele Altum, assistant secretary, and Corena Burk, reporter.

The class invites all girls of their age, who are not attending Sunday School to become members of the group.

## T.E.L. Class Met for Social and Business

Members of the T. E. L. Class of the First Baptist Sunday school met in the home of Mrs. W. R. Terry last week for their regular monthly business and social gathering.

A covered dish luncheon was served to 18 members present. Following a short business meeting the social was held.

Mrs. Bowen Pope led the opening prayer and Mrs. H. O. Cassle gave the devotional. The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. W. W. Green in November.

Present for the meeting were: Mrs. Mary Jones, Mrs. Mattie Dutton, Mrs. Myrtis Johnson, Mrs. Lura Graham, Mrs. Georgia Hines, Mrs. Katy Green, Mrs. Jud Prather, Mrs. Esther Carmichael, Mrs. Reba Ferguson, Mrs. Vane Boyd, Mrs. Myrtle Williams, Mrs. Maud Wallace, Mrs. Lina Polard, Mrs. Oma Cassle, Mrs. Ruby Weir, Mrs. Linda Terry, Mrs. Leslie Pope and Mrs. Lura Howard.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Eysen spent Thursday and Friday of last week in Fort Worth.

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**WANTED**—Farm and ranch hand. Furnished house; butane gas, electricity. Prefer man with family. \$100 month salary.—Tarleton Williamson, Hamlin. 49-2p

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### CARD OF THANKS

We want to express our sincere thanks and appreciation to the people of Hamlin and surrounding area for their kindness during the illness and death of our beloved father, John Ferguson. We deeply appreciate the beautiful flowers, and the words of comfort in our bereavement.—James Ferguson and family, S. C. Ferguson and family, Charles Ferguson and family, L. O. Ferguson and family. 1p

**LOST**—Pink plastic from eye glasses; reward.—Susanne Hudson. 1c

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### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our many friends and relatives for the beautiful flowers and kind words and deeds, shown during the illness and death of our loved one, husband, father, and grandfather, J. A. Lee. Especially do we want to thank the ladies who prepared the meals, also doctor Haag and Brother Nunn. May God's richest blessings be with each of you in our prayer.—Mrs. J. A. Lee and children. 1p

### CARD OF THANKS

We want to express our heartfelt thanks to the many friends who have sent cards, letters, flowers and gifts to our grandmother, Mrs. J. C. Blanton, who is ill in our home. She celebrated her 90th birthday Friday. Thanks to all who have contributed to making her happy.—Mrs. Era Teague and family. 1p

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# OF INTEREST TO WOMEN

## Nintieth Birthday Anniversary Is Celebrated by Mrs. J. C. Blanton

With relatives and friends visiting at her bedside throughout the day, Mrs. J. C. Blanton, well known resident of Hamlin, celebrated her 90th birthday anniversary in the home of Mr and Mrs Oran Teague in the New Hope community last Friday.

A pink and white birthday cake bearing the words "Happy Birthday, Blanton" was the center of attraction. The cake was held at the bedside of Mrs. Blanton while guests joined in singing "Happy Birthday."

The cake was served with punch and candy. Tiny vases holding thank-you cards served as plate favors.

Mrs. Blanton expressed gratitude to the Home Department of the Hamlin Methodist Church and to the Calvary Baptist Church of Hamlin and the New Hope Home Demonstration Club for the many letters, cards and flowers she has received.

Born in Wise County, in 1858, Mrs. Blanton moved to Bell County to attend school. Later she moved to Williamson County.

Married at the age of 15 in Geauga county, she came to Jones County with her husband more than 50 years ago. For the past 35 years she has lived in Hamlin. She became a member of the Methodist Church at the age of 20.

Three children were born to Mr and Mrs Blanton, and only one, a son, C. R. Blanton of Cimarron, Kansas, survives. He was present for the celebration. Her other two children were daughters.

Mr and Mrs Blanton are among the earliest residents of Hamlin, and settled here when Hamlin was a very small community.

Mr Blanton died in 1920, and since that time this widow has been making her home here and with Mr and Mrs O. B. Teague of near Stamford. Mrs. Teague is one of three grandchildren of the aged woman. The other two are Mrs. A. McCullough of Kansas City, Kansas, and Marvin Bridges of Espanola, New Mexico.

Mr and Mrs Paul Bryan spent several days last week at Possum Kingdom on a fishing trip.

Mrs. H. A. McWright of Hamlin, Mr and Mrs Milford Kincaid of Los Angeles and Mrs. Johnnie Gray of Rockwell are guests this week of Mrs. Wright's sister, Mrs. Roy Gilbreath and her son, Aubrey Kincaid, in Corpus Christi.

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## Social Given for Baptist Class Monday

A social and business meeting for members of the Business Women's class of the First Baptist Sunday School was given in the home of Mrs. Austin Poe Monday evening.

The meeting was opened with a devotional, following which business was transacted.

Mrs. Ruby McMahon, chairman of the nominating committee, reported the following nominations: Mrs. Austin Poe president; Mrs. B. H. Briscoe, first vice president; Mrs. Ruby McMahon, second vice president; Mrs. Jessie Jackson, third vice president; Miss Nettie Bowen, secretary-treasurer; Miss Vida Avants, assistant secretary; and Mrs. Euell Carter, reporter. The officers were elected by acclamation.

Mrs. Vera Nobles was named the teacher of the class and Miss Elma Greenway was elected assistant teacher.

Mrs. Jimmy Simmons was given a sterling baby fork and spoon by the class.

Refreshments were served to: Mrs. Nobles, Mrs. Simmons, Mrs. Briscoe, Mrs. Jackson, Mrs. Crickett Fomby, Miss Greenway, Mrs. McMahon, Miss May Gay, Miss Llorene Cornett, Miss Nettie Bowen, Miss Avants and Miss Willie B. White.

## Ruth Bible Class Had Party in Russell Home

Members of the Ruth Sunday School class of the First Baptist Church were entertained with an outdoor party at the home of Mr and Mrs Jack Russell last Tuesday. Mrs. Russell and Mrs. C. J. Whaley were hostesses.

A picnic supper was served, following which games were played and moving pictures were shown by Clyde Angel.

Guests present were: Mr and Mrs J. C. Turner, Mr and Mrs Garland Preston, Mr and Mrs Lovel Stell, Mr and Mrs Lester Morton, Mr and Mrs Leslie Shelburne Mr and Mrs

## Family Reunion Event In Hudson Home Here

A family reunion in the home of Mr and Mrs John Hudson in Hamlin Sunday was the first time all members of the family had been together for 10 years.

Forty-six people attended the occasion, when a buffet lunch was served at noon.

Those present were: Jack Hudson and family, San Antonio; Mr and Mrs Glenn Morrison and family of Ballinger; Mr and Mrs Robert Walker of Midland; Mr and Mrs J. V. Walraven and son of Abilene; Mr and Mrs John Griffin and family of Merkel; Mr and Mrs Shepp Walker and family and Mr and Mrs Jean Cadenhead, all of Vernon; Mr and Mrs Lee Hastings of Haskell; Mrs. Morris Wright and sons of Fort Worth; Mr and Mrs Ester Hastings and daughter; Roy and John Melvin Hudson and Jim Johnson, all of Hamlin.

## Gleaners Class Met In Paul Gentry Home

Members of the Gleaners Sunday School class of the First Baptist Church met in the home of Mrs. Paul Gentry Tuesday night for their monthly business session and social.

The business meeting was conducted by Mrs. Gentry, president. She announced a class picnic for Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. H. R. Treadwell. A committee was named to purchase a scrap book for the class.

Following the business meeting games were played, led by Mrs. Bill Shira and Mrs. Treadwell.

Refreshments of sandwiches, olives, fruit, cup cakes and hot chocolate were served to Mrs. George Poe, Mrs. Bill Shira, Mrs. J. Robertson, Mrs. Fred B. Moore Jr., Mrs. Marvin Carlton, Mrs. LaRoy Stubbs, Mrs. J. E. McCoy, Mrs. Albert Hill, Mrs. Gentry, and the teacher, Mrs. Treadwell.

Eugene Eaton, Mr and Mrs Joe League, Mr and Mrs M. L. Meeks, Mr and Mrs Cecil Sellers, Mr and Mrs Herman Treadwell, Mr and Mrs Clyde Angel, Mr and Mrs Jack Russell, Mr and Mrs E. J. Whaley, Mr and Mrs W. C. Russell and Mr and Mrs Tate May.

## Charlotte Carson, Polio Patient, Celebrated 10th Birthday Saturday

Charlotte Carson had a birthday party last week to celebrate her 10th birthday anniversary. That fact wouldn't be unusual, except for the fact that the celebration took place in the polio ward of Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene where Charlotte has been a patient for almost two months.

Charlotte, the daughter of Mr and Mrs Fred Carson of Hamlin, became ill in August and was taken to the polio ward where she is slowly recovering.

Three other little girls, also patients in the polio ward, attended the party, and other guests were Charlotte's parents and her younger sister, Marsha. The three polio patients guests were Betty Lancaster, Tulla Mae Webb and Jean Posey.

Cake and fruit juice were served as refreshments, and Charlotte exhibited her birthday gifts proudly to her guests.

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## Dangers From Fires in Winter Time Are Cited by State Fire Commissioner

"Carelessness is not really the cause of fires," Marvin Hall, State Fire Insurance Commissioner, said this week.

"It's not that a person doesn't care if he burns his house down or injures himself or others; it's that he is ignorant of or indifferent to dangerous practices that cause fires."

Ninety per cent of our fires are needless and could be prevented, he continued. This 90 per cent is generally considered to be caused by carelessness, when in the strict sense of the term, they are not.

"People who have needless fires either do not know of an existing fire hazard or they just don't believe it can happen to them," Hall said.

The \$22,000,000 fire loss in Texas last year proved that it does happen to thousands of people. Losses in 1947 were the highest in the history of this state and they are climbing higher this year, nearly reaching the \$15,000,000 mark through the month of August.

Information on fire prevention can usually be obtained at city or county libraries, and local fire departments will inspect houses or places of business free, the commissioner suggested. Fire Marshals will talk with individuals or groups to tell them home to prevent fires.

"Fire prevention is an individual responsibility," he emphasized. "We can't let 'George' do it for us. Fire Prevention Week, which just ended, is an excellent time to start a personal year round prevention program at home and at work."

Urging housewives to prepare now for the fire dangerous months, Hall named a few special fires safety tips for Texas housewives to keep in

mind while making their fall check-ups:

1. Have all gas stoves connected with solid piping and if leaking gas is noticed, call the gas company. Protect woodwork around or under gas heaters. Be sure heaters are a safe distance from curtains or towel racks.

2. By all means rake up all the dead leaves on your premises but bury them—don't burn them—in your flower beds. Buried leaves enrich the soil and create no fire hazard.

3. Never use gasoline, benzene, naphtha or similar volatile flammable liquids for cleaning purposes. Use an approved solvent for removing spots from clothes. Send to the dry cleaners any clothes needing extensive cleaning.

4. If the wiring system of the house is to be extended, call a professional electrician and have the job done right. Cords to portable electric appliances should be as short as possible. Replace those that have become the least worn or frayed.

5. Keep matches in metal containers and out of reach of small children. Be sure matches and cigarettes are out before discarding them. Don't smoke in bed.

### IN ROBY HOSPITAL

Mrs W J Majors of Hamlin underwent a surgical operation in the Roby Hospital last week. Mrs A J For do Sylvester, also had surgery in the Roby institution.

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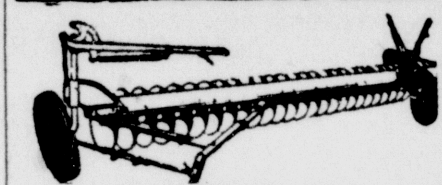
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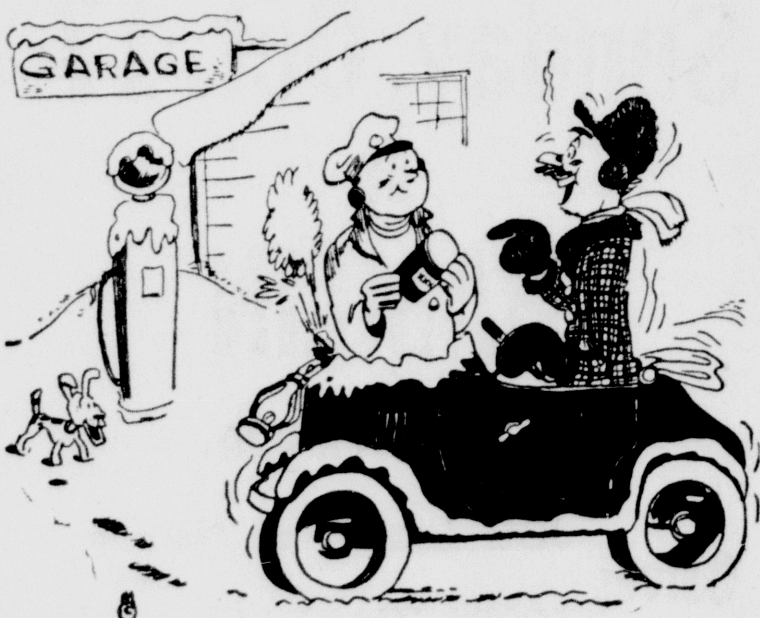
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## Oil Men Take Part in H-SU Dorm Service

Oilmen from all parts of the nation converged on Abilene this week to participate in dedication ceremonies for the Hunter Memorial dormitory, in honor of the late Judge J C Hunter, former president of the Mid-Continent Oil Association.

Feature of the occasion was an address by Eugene Holman, president of the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey, and a former student in Hardin-Simmons.

The dormitory, which was erected several years ago, was recently paid out of debt by gifts from the oil men as a tribute to the memory of Hunter.

### GLEE CLUB PROGRAM.

The Glee Club of Hamlin High School presented a program of musical numbers in the High School auditorium last Friday. Mrs Mart Farrow directed the 30-minute program, which included patriotic, semi-classic and popular music.

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## Strong Demand in Cotton Market Is Price Stimulant

Good demand stirred up more trading in Southwest cotton last week than the basic markets have reported in sometime to USDA's Production and Marketing Administration.

Sales at Dallas more than doubled those of the previous week at 86,446 bales. Also, Houston-Galveston sales ran 18 per cent larger. Total sales at the three markets topped 126,000 bales, about 23 per cent larger than the corresponding week last year.

Prices moved within a narrow range last week and averaged somewhat higher than during the corresponding week last year. The basis weakened in the Dallas market but held steady in Houston and Galveston.

Domestic mill demand continued to be fairly active for forward shipments. Also, export demand was good for low middling through strict middling ranging in staple 7-8 inch through 1-1-32 inch.

Cotton picking and ginning made good progress as dry open weather prevailed in all sections. Cotton ginned in Texas through September 30 averaged the acre in grade and staple as last year while that ginned in Oklahoma averaged higher in grade and longer in staple.

Cottonseed prices declined \$4.40 per bale in Texas last week with farmers receiving an average price of \$64.40. In Oklahoma, farmers received the same as the previous week, an average of \$66.60 for the state. Grades of cottonseed in both states averaged higher last week than the week before.

More cotton pickers were needed in West Texas.

## Vernell Miller One of 1680 Students in ACC

Miss Vernell Miller, daughter of Mr and Mrs L V Miller of Hamlin is one of the 1,680 students enrolled in Abilene Christian College for the fall semester, it was announced this week by the registrar.

In addition to the resident enrollment, 36 students are taking correspondence courses and 263 are in the demonstration school, making a total enrollment of 2,279 for the term.

## Willingham's Steer Wins Third at Fair

A shorthorn steer, exhibited by Jack Willingham of Hamlin, was awarded third place in its class at the Texas State Fair in Dallas last week.

The steer was shown in the short-

horn class over 1,000 pounds, according to C E Yeager, publicity director for the fair. Willingham, who exhibited in the Junior Steer Show, was awarded \$20.

Bill Roach returned recently from Stamford where he was a patient in the Stamford Hospital for several days.

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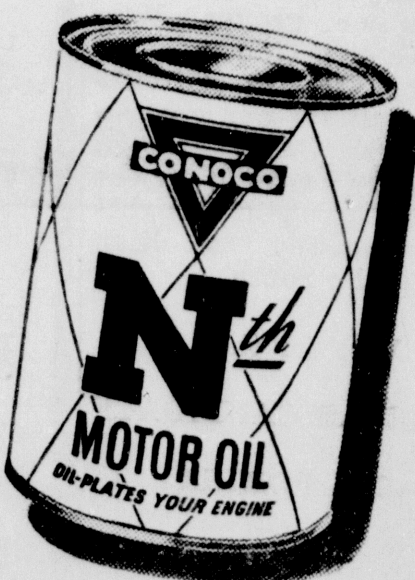
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## Aid for Crippled Children Is Offered By State Health Department of Texas

In an effort to familiarize every person in Texas with the services offered by the Crippled Children's Division of the State Health Department, Dr. George W. Cox, state health officer has released the following statement:

Every crippled child in Texas, under 21 years of age, and of normal mentality whose parents are unable to pay for needed care, is entitled to assistance from this Division.

Crippling conditions which may be treated are: infantile paralysis, osteomyelitis, club feet, harelip, and cleft palate, burns, curvature of the spine, arthritis, bow legs, rickets, tuberculosis of the bone, flat feet, congenitally dislocated hip, muscular dystrophy, supernumerary fingers and toes, wry neck, elephantiasis, spina bifida, brachial palsy, Pott's Disease, congenital anomalies, spina-dylethetosis, amputation, webb fingers, epiphitis and sarcoma.

Assistance may be obtained by applying to the Crippled Children's Division, Texas State Department of Health, Austin, or by placing an

application through an established city or county health unit.

Full information about local groups and organizations throughout the state who are anxious to assist crippled children to establish their eligibility and receive proper care, may be had by writing for a pamphlet, "Handbook on Agencies," Address Crippled Children's Division, State Department of Health, Austin 2, Texas.

### ACC BAND MARCHES.

The Abilene Christian College band, enroute to Rotan, where it played for the Callan celebration, paraded down Central Avenue in Hamlin last Friday and played several selections. Smartly attired in uniforms, the band drew a large crowd of Hamlinites.

## Veterans' News

The questions and answers below about veteran problems are carried as a service to former service connected personnel by The Herald. Material for the column is supplied by the area office of the Veterans Administration at Lubbock.

Q—If I attend summer sessions at the college where I am enrolled under the education benefits of the GI Bill, do I need a supplemental certificate of eligibility?

A—No. The only time you need a supplemental VA certificate of eligibility to attend summer school is when you transfer to another school for the summer term.

Q—I am a U. S. citizen and have received war service gratuity and re-establishment of credit benefits from the Canadian government. Am I entitled to loan benefits under the GI Bill?

A—Veterans Administration has

ruled that the loan benefits under the servicemen's readjustment act are neither the same nor similar to the "war service gratuity" and the "re-establishment credit" apparently paid you in cash by the Canadian government. Therefore, you are entitled to a loan guaranty if you are otherwise qualified.

Q—Five of us veterans of World War II have incorporated and are operating a business. Can each of us file a claim for readjustment allowance as self employed?

A—No. A veterans Administration decision held that none of the veterans connected with a corporation can be regarded as self-employed within the meaning of Public Law 346 (GI Bill).

Q—If I apply for hospitalization, how long will I have to wait before I am admitted to a VA hospital?

A—If you have a service connected disability you do not have to wait to receive hospitalization. If your disability is non-service connected but is an emergency, you are admitted immediately. Non-service connected ailments that do not require emergency treatment have to wait until a bed is available, and the time varies at each hospital. Non-service connected veterans also must sign statements that they cannot afford to pay for treatment elsewhere.

Q—May I go to my own doctor for treatment of my disability and have Veterans Administration pay the bill?

A—Only if you receive prior VA approval for such treatment or cure. Approval is based on the following conditions: (1) You must have a service connected disability; (2) VA must not be able to provide the treatment in its own hospitals or

### CAR WIRING BURNS.

Fire which broke out in the wiring of an automobile on the Rotan highway last Saturday afternoon caused a run of the Hamlin Fire Department. Little damage was done to the automobile, firemen reported.

would work a hardship on you. In emergency cases, a veteran may apply to the nearest physician and have the physician notify the VA clinics; (3) travel to a VA station regional office having jurisdiction over the area.

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## Abilene Music Group Opens Annual Drive

Annual membership campaign of the Civic Music Association of Abilene is being conducted this week from headquarters in the Woten Hotel. Joe C. Benson, president of the association, announced.

The association is a non-profit, cooperative organization which brings concert artists to Abilene for programs. Admission to the concerts is by membership card only, and payment of the annual fee entitles one to a card. The membership privilege will close for the year after Saturday, October 16, Benson said.



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<b>Blackberries</b>	Welco	No. 2 Can	23¢
<b>Del Maiz Niblets</b>		12-Oz. Can	19¢
<b>Catsup</b>	Red Hill Tomato	13 1/2-Oz. Bot.	15¢
<b>Soup</b>	Campbell's Vegetable	2 No. 1 Cans	27¢
<b>Swift Prem</b>	Luncheon Meat	12-Oz. Can	45¢

<b>Apple Butter</b>	Bama	26-Oz. Jar	19¢
<b>Peanut Butter</b>	Roast	16-Oz. Jar	33¢
<b>Salad Dressing</b>	Cascade	16-Oz. Jar	29¢
<b>Golden Corn</b>	Gardenside Cream Style	No. 2 Can	17¢
<b>Green Beans</b>	Gardenside Cut, Green	2 No. 2 Cans	29¢
<b>Sweet Peas</b>	Gardenside Standard	No. 2 Can	12¢
<b>Tomatoes</b>	Rusk Standard	3 No. 1 Cans	25¢
<b>Pork &amp; Beans</b>	Western Gold	16-Oz. Can	10¢
<b>Plain Chili</b>	Delgados	No. 1 1/2 Can	39¢
<b>Tamales</b>	Delgados	17 1/2-Oz. Can	21¢
<b>Vienna Sausage</b>	Leads	No. 1/2 Can	17¢
<b>Gerbers Meats</b>	Assfd.	Reg. Can	19¢
<b>Cherub Milk</b>	Evaporated	3 Tall Cans	42¢
<b>Rice</b>	Blue Peacock	2-Lb. Pkg.	27¢
<b>Airway Coffee</b>		1-Lb. Pkg.	39¢
<b>Edwards Coffee</b>	Top Quality	1-Lb. Can	47¢
<b>Shortening</b>	Swift Jewel	3-Lb. Ctn.	93¢
<b>Margarine</b>	Sun Valley	1-Lb. Pkg.	31¢
<b>Cheese</b>	Wisconsin Sharp Cheddar, 4-Lb. Wedges	Lb.	69¢
<b>Cheese</b>	Wisconsin Mild Cheddar, 4-Lb. Wedges	Lb.	59¢
<b>Fresh Eggs</b>	Morning Star, Large and Medium, Mixed	Dos.	64¢
<b>Fresh Eggs</b>	Twelve Grand, Mixed Sizes and Colors	Dos.	57¢
<b>Jeil-Well</b>	Assorted Desserts	3 Reg. Pkgs.	19¢

### Meal—Bread—Flour

<b>White Meal</b>	Premium	5-Lb. Bag	39¢
<b>Bread</b>	Mrs. Wright's Extra Tender	24-Oz. Loaf	18¢
<b>Crackers</b>	Sunshine Krispy	1-Lb. Pkg.	25¢
<b>Flour</b>	Kitchen Craft Top Quality, Home Type	10-Lb. Bag	85¢
<b>Flour</b>	Phillipsbury's	10-Lb. Bag	85¢

### Soaps and Cleansers

<b>Palmolive</b>	Toilet Soap	Reg. Bar	9¢
<b>Lifebuoy</b>	Health Soap	Reg. Bar	9¢
<b>Oxydol</b>	Granulated Soap	Large Pkg.	33¢
<b>Vel Powder</b>	Washing Powder	Large Pkg.	29¢
<b>Sunbrite</b>	Household Cleanser	2 13-Oz. Cans	13¢

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<b>Lettuce</b>	California Crisp, Firm	Lb.	14¢
<b>Turnips</b>	Clip Tops	Lb.	5¢
<b>Grapefruit</b>	Florida Seedless	Lb. 6 1/2c	
<b>Apples</b>	Washington Jonathan	2 Lbs.	25¢
<b>Apples</b>	Fancy Red Delicious	Lb.	15¢
<b>Cranberries</b>		Lb.	25¢
<b>Pascal Celery</b>		Lb.	10¢
<b>Potatoes</b>	Idaho Russets	5 Lbs.	23¢
<b>Texas Yams</b>		Lb.	8¢
<b>Yellow Onions</b>		Lb.	3 1/2¢
<b>Rutabagas</b>	Yellow Turnips	Lb.	5¢
<b>Green Beans</b>		Lb.	15¢

## GUARANTEED MEATS

<b>Bacon</b>	Mello Sliced	1-Lb. Pkg.	59¢
<b>Roast</b>	Pork Loin or Rib End	Lb.	69¢
<b>Steaks</b>	Veal or Light Beef Round, Gov't Graded	Lb.	83¢
<b>Oysters</b>	Eastern Select Large Size	1-Lb. Can	89¢

<b>Pork Chops</b>	Caster Cuts	Lb.	75¢
<b>Sausage</b>	Pure Pork 2-Lb. Bags	Lb.	65¢
<b>Pork Liver</b>	Fresh Sliced	Lb.	43¢
<b>Picnics</b>	Smoked 4 to 8-Lb. Avg.	Lb.	53¢
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Mrs. Lewis Hill returned to her home in Hamlin Sunday after spending three weeks in a Cisco hospital. Mrs. Jim West of Clyde was a guest of her sister, Mrs. Aubrey Tindley Tuesday.

C. J. Drake visited with Mr. and Mrs. Gill Walker of Romney last Sunday.

Mrs. B. M. Brundage returned to Hamlin last week from Richland, Washington, where she had been at the bedside of her daughter, Mrs. Ralph Worley, who was seriously ill. Mrs. Worley has recovered from her illness.



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## Rowland and Cowan to See Action in McMurry Indian Contests in October

Brad Rowland, physical education major and Les Cowan, 235-pound, six foot five inch junior also a physical education major, members of the McMurry Indian football squad, will probably see action in the two games being played in Abilene, beginning with the Abilene Christian College contest slated for October 23, and the Austin College tussle on October 30.

The Indians go to Kingsville this week-end to meet the Texas A&I eleven in a non-conference encounter, but will return to Abilene for a series of four conference games, three of which will be played in Abilene. The Southwestern University Pirates meets the Indians here on November 19, for the final conference tussle of the season for the Indians.

Fighting to regain a share of the top rung in the conference standings the Indians will meet the Abilene Christian Wildcats as a 1948 homecoming attraction. The following week-end the Tribe clashes with Austin College, with half time presentation of numerous high school bands performing in the third annual band-day exhibition staged by McMurry College under the direction of Raymond T. Bynum, band director of McMurry College.

Les was one of the main figures in the last McMurry fray, which found Les on the receiving end of a 50-yard pass that counted as a score but was recalled because of a penalty against McMurry.

Rowland has averaged seven and one-half yards per try in totaling 377 yards gained in the first four games played for McMurry this season.

## Girls Auxiliary Met For Program Monday

Members of the Intermediate Girls' Auxiliary of the First Baptist Church met for their regular program Monday afternoon, with nine members and the counselor present.

Donna Gail Miller, president, was in charge of the program. Corena Burke was elected secretary in a brief business session, to replace Maurine Marshall, who has moved to San Angelo.

An interesting program on "Romance of Latin American Missions" was presented by Eleanor Hutchingson and Corena Burke.

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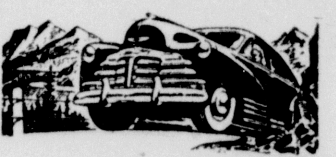
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## A VP FOR EVERY MILE. . .

### Hamlin's 14-Mile Railroad Is Given Attention In Dallas News Article

Hamlin's 14-mile railroad, the Hamlin-Northwestern, which extends from here to Flat Top near Abilene, was the subject for a story in the Dallas Morning News of October 12.

The story recounted the fact that the road has 14 vice presidents—one for each mile of trackage, including sidings and switches.

The complete story, as reprinted from the News, follows:

Homer W. Snowden, Dallas oil operator of 5002 Swiss, is a man of many enterprises, but the title of which he is proudest is that of president of one of the shortest standard-gauge railroads in the nation.

It is 10.2 miles long with 14 miles of track including sidings and it boasts a vice-president for every mile.

The road is known as the Hamlin-Northwestern Railroad and it extends from Hamlin to Flat Top, in Jones County, near Abilene.

A native Texan, Snowden is proud of his railroad and will issue an annual pass at the drop of

a 10-gallon hat. The neatly engraved passes point out, rather unnecessarily, that they are not valid on tourist cars.

There are no coaches on the Hamlin-Northwestern, only freight cars.

Mostly sand and gravel and cement are shipped over the line—Snowden owns the sand and gravel company.

The rolling stock consists of three light switch-engines of varying sizes and about 25 cars. Two engines are kept busy and a third is held in reserve for emergencies.

Not to be confused with a miniature railroad, the Hamlin-Northwestern has standard track and standard equipment and is listed in the Railway Guide. It has a machine shop and roundhouse, a depot and general offices at Flat Top.

But the home office, Snowden announces proudly, is at 6336 Richmond, otherwise occupied by the oilman's other far-flung enterprises, including a radio station. Some of his ventures may be more profitable, but there are none of which

he is prouder than the Hamlin-Northwestern.

But the railroad itself shows a nice profit. It employs a four-man section gang, a three-man train crew for each of its two trains, a station agent, a bookkeeper, and two executives—and, of course, the 14 honorary vice-presidents, one for each mile.

About 15 men are employed at the sand and gravel company whose executive vice president, C W Maddox of Abilene, and secretary-treasurer W M Blackburn, are also directors of the railroad.

Having 16 or 17 oil rigs going simultaneously is perhaps no handicap for a railroad president, even if the road is only 10.2 miles long. Permits for erection of three or four radio stations may divert Snowden from railroad interests, to say nothing of a real estate division he is contemplating.

"Would it be accurate," he was asked, "to describe you as a multimillionaire?"

Snowden smiled. "I've been called other things probably more accurate than that. Anyway, I do happen to have a good deal of property."

That is about as near to his financial status as the casual interviewer is able to get. Born near Mabank, Kaufman County, in what he calls Hog Fork country, Snow-

## TURNER STARS.

Earl Turner of Hamlin starred for the Texas A&I Javelinas in a game with Sam Houston Bearcats in Huntsville last Saturday night. Turner intercepted a pass and carried the ball over for a touchdown. He is a first year man and plays guard position.

den started in the grain business in 1928, entered the oil business in 1945.

By 1947 he had drilled 750 wells in Texas, Oklahoma, Louisiana and New Mexico.

A farm boy, Snowden started with very little capital.

"Is it true you started on ashoe-string?" he was asked.

Snowden leaned back from a mahogany desk in his \$150,000 headquarters built last year.

"I didn't even have the shoe-string," he said.

The railroad was bought last October 20. A few producing oil wells proved a help.

## Ferguson Rites Conducted Here Last Saturday

Final rites for John Ferguson, 83, were conducted in the First Baptist Church of Hamlin last Saturday afternoon, with Rev A R Posey, pastor, and Dr. Will C House, pastor of the Methodist Church, in charge.

Ferguson died in the Callan Hospital in Rotan Thursday night at 11:30. He had been in failing health for several months, and had been visiting a son, Charlie Ferguson, in McCaulley when he became seriously ill.

A resident of Jones County for 50 years, Ferguson had been engaged in farming and operating a gin until his retirement. He formerly owned the gin at Neinda. He was a member of the First Baptist Church in Hamlin.

He was born February 9, 1865 in

## Radio Shop Opened Here by Cecil Terrell

A radio repair shop was opened this week in the City Electric & Plumbing Shop, by Cecil Terrell.

Terrell has had many years of experience in radio repair and said he has installed the latest type of equipment. He will operate a pick-up and delivery service for radios.

Bradley, Tennessee. With his parents he moved to Texas in 1875. He was married to Toka Black, August 1883, Mr and Mrs Ferguson celebrated their 62nd wedding anniversary in August 1945, before Mrs. Ferguson died in December of that year.

Survivors are four sons, James Ferguson and S C Ferguson, both of Hamlin, Charlie Ferguson of McCaulley and L O Ferguson of Fort Worth. In addition there are 11 grandchildren and nine great grandchildren.

Burial was conducted in the East Cemetery, directed by the Barrow Funeral Home.

## Mail Date Set on Christmas Gifts For Service Men

Christmas parcels for overseas service men and women must be mailed between October 15 and November 15 to assure delivery by Christmas, Perry Sparks, Hamlin postmaster, said this week.

Sparks said a communication from the Post Office Department urged early mailing of gifts for men in foreign countries, and indicated that the department will cooperate in getting the packages to the men on time.

A weight limit of 70 pounds has been set on any single package, and no firearms, intoxicants or inflammable materials may be sent.

Packages must be wrapped in regulation parcels, with strong wrappings, and must be securely tied, Sparks said.

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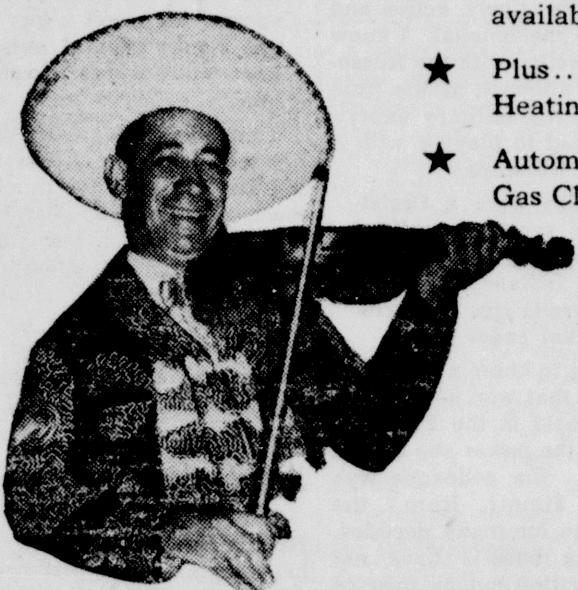
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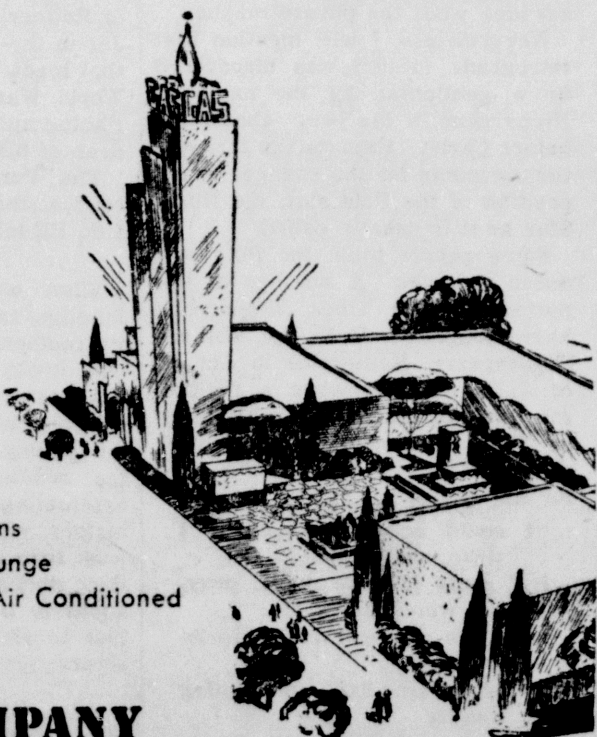
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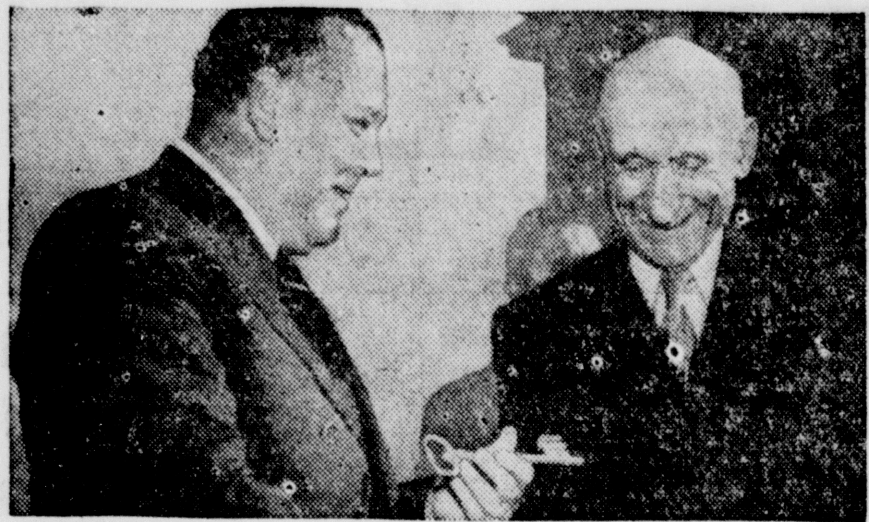


## WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

1948 Election Campaign Hits Stride  
As Democrats, GOP Vie for Labor;  
Soviets Aggravate Berlin Situation

By Bill Schoentgen, WNU Staff Writer

(EDITOR'S NOTE: When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of Western Newspaper Union's news analysts and not necessarily of this newspaper.)



THE GOLDEN KEY . . . Trygve Lie, secretary-general of the United Nations, beams as he accepts from former French Premier Robert Schuman a golden key as a symbol of France's temporary surrender of sovereignty over the Palais de Chaillot, where the U. N. general assembly opened on September 21. What treasures of peace that key might unlock this year is a question that gives pause to the entire world.

## CAMPAIGN:

## Trumpets Sounded

Politicians cleared their throats as with the sound of trumpets, and the 1948 presidential election campaign swept into motion.

The first skirmish between Democrats and Republicans featured President Truman and Harold E. Stassen, who carried the word of their respective parties into the great industrial area around Detroit.

THAT INDICATED that, for the time being at least, the pivotal factor directing the policies of both GOP and Democratic campaigns would be the labor vote.

To win the election this November Mr. Truman probably will need the same proportionate amount of the labor vote that turned out in favor of Roosevelt in the 1932, 1936 and 1940 campaigns. Whether he will get it is very much open to question at this stage.

## Truman

Launching his battle for re-election in the Detroit area over the Labor Day week-end, President Truman fired at will.

AT GRAND RAPIDS, Lansing, Detroit, Pontiac and Flint he exhorted all the "little people" of the U. S. to register and vote in the November 2 election.

If a heavy vote turns out, he insisted, not only will he be re-elected, but the Republican majority in congress will be replaced by a Democratic one.

"IF YOU STAY home next November and keep these reactionaries in power, you will deserve every blow you get and you can expect a barrage of body blows," said Mr. Truman. This was a repetition of an idea—that "you'll get what you deserve"—which he had expressed earlier in the year and which, at the time, was received with some animosity by the people to whom he addressed it.

"You can elect a reactionary administration and go into an era of fear, or you can elect a congress and an administration that stand ready to play fair with every element of American life and enter an era of new hope. We're in a hard, tough fight against shrewd, rich opponents. They don't count on your vote; they just don't want you to vote."

Judging from his Labor Day speeches, President Truman is planning to shape his campaign around these contentions:

1. THAT THE MAIN issue boils down to Republican special privileges as against Democratic concern for the little man.

2. THAT THE "DO-NOTHING" 80th congress, under GOP control, has done nothing to justify its re-election.

3. THAT ANYTHING EXCEPT an all-out vote by labor on election day "would be a betrayal by labor of its own interests."

4. THAT IF THE MASS of the nation's voters go to the polls on election day a Democratic victory is assured.

## Stassen

Just a step and a half behind Mr. Truman came Harold E. Stassen, striving valiantly to scatter the coals of the bonfire the President had kindled in Detroit.

Apparently blessed by Thomas E. Dewey, GOP presidential candidate, Stassen's speech in the motor city was billed as the official kickoff of the Republican campaign.

## Employment Record

The U. S. rounded the turn from summer to autumn with its civilian employment at the highest level in the history of the nation.

Approximately 61.5 million workers are employed, while the unemployed number only 2,227,000 as compared to more than 12 million during the gloomy depression years of the early 1930s. Personal prosperity now depends, however, on the impact of inflation.

## CABINET:

## Sil Vous Plait

They couldn't find a government in France. As a political situation that appeared slightly ludicrous from across the Atlantic, but Frenchmen were becoming sorely worried for fear that they had lost the ability or power to govern themselves.

AFTER PREMIER Andre Marie's cabinet fell, President Vincent Auriol appointed Robert Schuman as premier and gave him the usual instructions to form a cabinet.

Schuman duly gathered together an administrative body and then, 64 hours later, watched it fall apart when he was defeated on a technical proposal to postpone questioning of the new cabinet by the national assembly. In short, he failed to get the necessary vote of confidence.

Desperate by this time, President Auriol then named Henri Queuille, veteran Radical Socialist, to succeed Schuman.

WHAT QUEUILLE could do to produce some kind of order out of political confusion and economic travail no one knew. He is 64 years old, a little known political figure in France and was a wartime assistant of Gen. Charles DeGaulle.

The situation pointed up the alarmed belief, becoming more predominant in France, that no individual or group can command the working majority that will enable him to govern the nation successfully.

It is a paradox that the parties in the moderate center of the political scale in France can speak for less than 25 per cent of the people. General DeGaulle, on the right, commands 45 per cent of the vote, and Communist groups hold another 30 per cent.

Although the past few weeks have not been conducive to a coherent examination of the political situation in France, the principal trend seems to be toward a return of General DeGaulle and his right-wing beliefs to power.

ANYTHING NEW  
Bloomin' Sage

That sagebrush is mighty pretty when it blooms purple, and the songwriters can't be blamed for making something out of it.

But out West they hate that sage.

It swaths nearly 96 million western acres in a tough, resistant blanket, and ranchers and federal range managers alike consider it an almost complete nuisance.

THEY WANT TO REPLACE the whole 96 million acres with nutritious grasses for cattle and sheep. Some of the sage would have to be retained to prevent erosion, but most of it could go.

They were talking about the problem of eliminating sagebrush at the annual meeting at Fort Collins, Colo., of the American Society of Agronomists and the Soil Science Society.

Despite efforts to control or eradicate it, the sage continues to spread and probably covers a greater area now than before the pioneer settlers went West.

MOST HOPEFUL development is the new brush-land plow, 10 of which are being built for further trial. Also, congress will be asked next year to provide more money for range reseeding and improvement.

About five million acres of western range already have been reseeded. These pastures almost invariably carry more nutritious and abundant food for cattle than the original prairie, according to U. S. forest service officials. Animals make better gains on it.

IN THE LONG RUN that could mean more and cheaper meat.

## Lip Service



First frothy by-product of the fermentation of the 1948 presidential campaign is the "Dewey duster," a false, Deweyesque mustache to tickle the fancy of stiff-upper-lip Republicans. Soon to appear on store counters across the nation, the gadget consists of a bit of black chenille clipped to the upper lip in true-blue GOP style.

## POLIO:

## Mice Cured

Columbus university has announced the development of a new sulfa-type drug, called Darvisul, that cures one kind of infantile paralysis in mice and is also a successful preventive to the disease in mice.

Despite extensive tests during the past summer, it is still not known whether the new drug will prove effective against polio in human beings.



## Struggle in Senate

ASIDE from the battle for the presidency which, of course, is the major objective in the coming election, there is an ominous struggle of major proportions for control of the United States senate. For the facts are that, barring a landslide of the 1928 vintage, even should Gov. Thomas E. Dewey be elected to the White House, the Democratic party stands a good chance of capturing control of the senate.

Should this eventually occur it would mean that the powerful senate committees would pass from control of the highly industrialized East and Midwest to the agricultural South and Far West.

So industry and big business today are locked in a battle for this control with the agricultural South and the mineral-reclamation-minded West. The field of battle is concentrated primarily in four states, West Virginia, Kentucky, Oklahoma and Wyoming, where it is conceded that Democrats have a good chance of unseating Republican senators. In addition, Senators C. Wayland Brooks of Illinois and Joe Ball of Minnesota are facing a fight for their political lives.

Because of the fact that most Democratic senators up for re-election this year are more or less firmly entrenched and Democrats must gain only four seats to control the senate, both the Democratic and Republican national committees are pouring money into the four pivotal states in an effort to gain the coveted senate control.

For instance, if the Democrats win four seats the only man from the North or Midwest in line for chairmanship would be Sen. Robert F. Wagner of New York. However, since he is in such poor health, he might have to relinquish the post to Senator Maybank of South Carolina, next in line.

Agriculture and forestry would pass from Senator Aiken of Vermont to Elmer Thomas of Oklahoma since Capper of Kansas is retiring. Appropriations would go from Bridges of New Hampshire to McKellar of Tennessee; armed services from Gurney of South Dakota to Tydings of Maryland; finance from Millikan of Colorado to George of Georgia; foreign relations from Vandenberg of Michigan to Connally of Texas; interstate and foreign commerce from Tobey of New Hampshire to Johnson of Colorado since White of Maine is retiring; judiciary from Wiley of Wisconsin to McCarran of Nevada; labor from Taft of Ohio to Thomas of Utah; postoffice and civil service from Langer of North Dakota to O'Mahoney of Wyoming since Hatch of New Mexico is retiring; public works from Revercomb of West Virginia to Chavez of New Mexico, and rules and administration from Brooks of Illinois to Hayden of Arizona.

The battle for senate control is one of powerful economic forces as well as political. Even should the Republicans win the senate there will be major changes in the powerful committees for there will be at least 10 freshmen senators in the upper chamber. For instance, Aiken of Vermont would succeed Capper of Kansas as agriculture; Ferguson of Michigan would succeed Aiken on expenditures in the executive department.

And now after that piece of advice, which is not seasonal for my friends "down under" where the autumnal equinox heralds the coming of summer and not fall and winter, let us return to our meteorological mutter.

I will not become technical but I think it is just as well to get better acquainted with the phenomena, natural and otherwise, which surround us. There is no reason why, if one rises late in the night to let the cat in (or out) he need crack a shin on a chair, once he understands why and in what position his wife has moved it since he last noticed its location—and the stars are just celestial furniture.

What Is This Thing 'Retrograde Motion'?

There is a certain "retrograde motion" from east to west of the equinoctial points, which I won't go into in detail for several reasons, one being that I haven't the slightest idea what the phrase means.

Nevertheless, I will mention that retrograde motion was discovered by a gentleman by the name of Hipparchus in the year (about) 120 before Christ. Experts say this motion accounts for the changes in the position of the Pole star, the North Star as it is usually called.

Some people think the Pole star doesn't change. A number of important people since Hipparchus have thought so. Take one, William Shakespeare. Remember in Act III of Julius Caesar when a petition for repeal of the disenfranchisement of Publius Cimber is presented? Cassius drops to his knees to beg for the repeal but Caesar says:

"I could be well moved, if I were as you; If I could pray to move, prayers would move me; But I am constant as the northern star, Of whose true-fix'd and resting quality There is no fellow in the firmament."

Private power lobbyists apparently have abandoned the fight against actual production of power by huge hydro-electric plants built by the government, realizing that only government can finance huge dams like Bonneville, Hoover and Grand Coulee and the dams in the TVA system.

Almost 16 million American voters belong to labor unions, which are playing an increasingly active role in elections. In the forthcoming campaign the CIO-PAC is concentrating on 123 congressional contests. The AFL league for political education is centering its attack in 158 congressional districts where incumbents were elected in 1946 with less than 60 per cent of the vote. Labor's batting average has been over .550 in previous elections.

LABOR AND POLITICS

## Washington Digest

Autumn Offers Many Joys  
For the Faithful Beholder

By BAUKHAGE

News Analyst and Commentator.

WASHINGTON, D. C.—You are reading these lines, I trust, not too long after the autumnal equinox, which I hope you celebrated with the proper ceremonies.

The word equinox is Latin for "equal night" which implies equal day. All over the earth there is that kind of equality at this time.

Thus the Creator established equality of such nice perfection that neither the strongest telescope nor the most accurate micrometer can question it. Equality was something that had no measure of weight until the philosophers proclaimed it and until it was preached to the western world by a lowly carpenter's son of Nazareth.

We worked nearly 2,000 years before a political goal embodying this philosophy was written into the Constitution of a nation—the United States. It is an unachieved goal but one more nearly reached here than anywhere else in the world—fewer travelers to the contrary, notwithstanding.

Strangely enough, the one idea chiefly associated with equality of day and night—the equinox—has been proved utterly unfounded. For a long time it was generally accepted (and is still believed by many) that violent storms which were given the name, "equinoctial gales" are prevalent at this season.

Suppose you were to approach the 10 men—or twenty or thirty—who have spent the most time studying this particular subject, gathering all the facts, checking all the records available, as long as authentic records have existed. If you asked them if it is true that there are especially bad storms at this time of year, they would answer (in carefully worded and virtually understandable sentences) "That is the bunk!"

At the equinox the sun is in the process of crossing the celestial equator. That is the circle parallel to our equator which, if expanded would touch the sun. The sun does this in the spring (vernal equinox) and in the fall (autumnal equinox).

At this season, if you live in my neighborhood (or within several hundred miles thereof) you will hear this piece of advice in the Hagerstown (Md.) Almanack which says:

"The ravages of the tent caterpillars go unnoticed by many persons until the leaves are eaten from a tree. Naturally it makes extra work for the tree to produce another set of new leaves, which weakens the tree, and after a few years of this extra work, the tree is in danger of dying."

"The greatest natural enemy of the tent caterpillar is the common house wren. These are valuable birds to have in your gardens during the growing season."

And now after that piece of advice, which is not seasonal for my friends "down under" where the autumnal equinox heralds the coming of summer and not fall and winter, let us return to our meteorological mutter.

I will not become technical but I think it is just as well to get better acquainted with the phenomena, natural and otherwise, which surround us. There is no reason why, if one rises late in the night to let the cat in (or out) he need crack a shin on a chair, once he understands why and in what position his wife has moved it since he last noticed its location—and the stars are just celestial furniture.

What Is This Thing 'Retrograde Motion'?

There is a certain "retrograde motion" from east to west of the equinoctial points, which I won't go into in detail for several reasons, one being that I haven't the slightest idea what the phrase means.

Nevertheless, I will mention that retrograde motion was discovered by a gentleman by the name of Hipparchus in the year (about) 120 before Christ. Experts say this motion accounts for the changes in the position of the Pole star, the North Star as it is usually called.

Some people think the Pole star doesn't change. A number of important people since Hipparchus have thought so. Take one, William Shakespeare. Remember in Act III of Julius Caesar when a petition for repeal of the disenfranchisement of Publius Cimber is presented? Cassius drops to his knees to beg for the repeal but Caesar says:

"I could be well moved, if I were as you; If I could pray to move, prayers would move me; But I am constant as the northern star, Of whose true-fix'd and resting quality There is no fellow in the firmament."

LABOR AND POLITICS

Almost 16 million American voters belong to labor unions, which are playing an increasingly active role in elections. In the forthcoming campaign the CIO-PAC is concentrating on 123 congressional contests. The AFL league for political education is centering its attack in 158 congressional districts where incumbents were elected in 1946 with less than 60 per cent of the vote. Labor's batting average has been over .550 in previous elections.

The skies are painted with unnumber'd spars, They are all fire and every one doth shine, But there's but one in all doth hold his place . . ."

Perhaps Shakespeare had never read Hipparchus. (Some say he couldn't read but if so, where did he get his plots?) Anyhow, Hipparchus said, (and nobody has disproved his theory) that the position of the Pole star does change (from our viewpoint). One authority explains it this way:

"The pole of the earth is swinging slowly as if it were the axis of a top, or as if the earth, rotating, were a kind of gyroscope." The study of what is called the "precession of the equinoxes" (their moving backward in relation to the constellations) is fascinating. But I have no intention of reading a lecture on astronomy here—for several reasons, including the one mentioned before.

But I do want to mention some things which George Stimson (with whom I have just been talking) brought up. You remember George? He comes from Anamosa, Iowa, where he has just been spending a wonderful vacation with his mother who, at 77, does her own cooking because she likes it better (and, according to George, for good reasons) than anyone's else.

George, to whom most Washingtonians turn when they want the right answer, says that records for a period of 50 years show that there were actually fewer storms during the period between September 20 and 25 (which overlaps the equinox) than there were immediately preceding September 25. The same, he says, is true of the vernal equinox.

"The notion about equinoctial storms in one form or another," says George, "dates back to at least 1748 and probably originated among seafaring people."

All this information is in his "Book About a Thousand Things" and if I had thought to look it up first I wouldn't have interrupted him in his work on his book about a thousand (or more) things regarding American history which will be his next opus and which I'm willing to say in advance of publication is going to be good.

So much for the equinoxes, with whom, since we meet them twice a year, we ought to get better acquainted.

Blackjack Pershing's  
Life and Times

Speaking of books, Col. Frederick Palmer sent me his latest book entitled "General John J. Pershing." It was written some time ago, recently brought up to date after Palmer's last interview with Pershing, but in accordance with the author's stipulation, was not published until after Pershing's death.

"It was not to be submitted to him or to appear in the light of an official biography or one authorized by his heirs."

This is stated in the foreword and Palmer elaborated on his attitude to me during a luncheon shortly before the book appeared.

Colonel Palmer is the elder statesman of the war correspondents. But years are of small account to him. He is perky, active and his memory is phenomenal. I knew of him in connection with the Russo-Japanese war although at the time of that conflict my military experience was limited to playing with a painted fleet of warships.

The warships were a Christmas present received while I was still building with blocks and shooting Indians with bows made of umbrella ribs and drilling in an infant cadet corps.

Later I came to know a colleague of Palmer's in that war which gave Japan the toe-hold in the Far East that made her the power she was in World War II. His colleague was Photographer Jimmy Hare, the dean of his clan for many decades. The Pershing book I have not read at this writing but as soon as I do I'll tell you about it.

What a wonderful three-point landing, said the little kangaroo to its mother.

Although the special session of congress was mad at the President for calling them back, they gave the reading of his proclamation assembling them a tribute rare in history. They stood up while it was read. They got up because they thought the invocation was about to be made and they didn't like to sit down and reveal their error.

There may be a new King of Spain. Nice work if you can get away with it.



WHILE various promoters still are groping in the dark for a new heavyweight champion, with Joe Louis in possible retirement, there is a chance that the world soon will be cluttered up with ex-heavyweight stars. They make an interesting group:

It was a matter of 49 years ago that Jim Jeffries knocked out Bob Fitzsimmons.

The heavyweight champions followed in this order: Tommy Burns, Jack Johnson, Jess Willard, Jack Dempsey, Gene Tunney, Max Schmeling, Jack Sharkey, Primo Carnera, Max Baer, Jim Braddock and finally Louis.

From this parade of 12 men, only Johnson is missing. And he was killed in a motor car accident. Jeffries is still alive—hale and rather hearty—and so are Burns, Willard, Dempsey, Tunney, Schmeling, Sharkey, Carnera, Baer, Braddock and Louis.

The span from Jeffries to Louis covers almost half a century, and to have 11 out of 12 ex-champions still inhabiting this planet is full proof they are a hardy lot.

Big Carnera still is wrestling, or giving imitations thereof, and Dempsey still is refereeing now and then. Jeffries has been running a boxing school and holding fight nights. Louis says he is through, but he still hasn't turned in any formal or official abdication.

## Still in Good Shape

Two men still in fine physical shape are Dempsey and Tunney. Both are now around 220 pounds, which could be a trifle lower, but they still look like ex-champions ought to look. At least they look as if they could handle most of the phony heavyweights I've seen around in the last few years.

It might also be mentioned that outside of Louis, the two old rivals are better fixed financially than any other heavyweight in history. Dempsey has one of the most beautiful homes in Los Angeles for his two daughters, while Tunney and his family never will have to worry about the next beefsteak and caviar.

I understand Sharkey isn't doing too badly, and I know Carnera has been mopping up in the weird and incredible wrestling game.

## A Memorable Group

Is it possible there could be any group more different than the 11 heavyweight champions still living? I doubt it. I'd like to see motion picture shorts made of their lives:

The big, burly bald-headed Jeffries—now over 70—the toughest of them all. He was an old man physically when he fought Johnson, who was far below Louis in all moral values—but a great fighter.

Burns—over 60—hooked in some odd philosophy of life.

Willard—a 280-pound giant—the least equipped of them all mentally. Just a guy who weighed 250 pounds. Ask Dempsey—and others.

Dempsey—a firebrand in his day, an ex-hobo. Babe Ruth's successor. Tough and rough in the ring. One of the few gentlemen I've known outside of the ring. The one colorful figure left in sport.

Dempsey, the killer, is also Dempsey who always thinks of the underdog and has given away more money to bums and has-beens than any two men in sports. As great a guy as anyone I ever met. I only wish I knew more words to write about him.

Tunney—the man who made himself. A man of character and intelligence. Not too much inclined towards popularity. Dempsey loved people; Tunney never did. Smart, keen, a man of indomitable will power. A man you must know to like, since he makes no effort to make new friends. But one who has written a great chapter in sport that will be remembered later on. Far up the ladder.

## Fill-Ins for Tunney

Schmeling, Sharkey, Carnera, Baer, Braddock. Here are five heavyweights that just happened to fill in after Tunney retired. Dempsey at his peak could have stopped them all in two rounds. Tunney could have chopped them into mince meat.

Carnera was a clown. Sharkey was another might-have-been, who was never too smart in the ring. "I had Dempsey knocked out in the first round," he told me, "when I stopped to make an address to the crowd that had hooted me. Dempsey was on the ropes."

Now Louis. A great champion. A boxer and a puncher. Especially a puncher. Game, but no Dempsey at taking a punch. They all came along and knocked Louis down. I think Dempsey would have knocked him out.



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By DR. KENNETH J. FOREMAN

SCRIPTURE: Acts 16:1-5; 17:13-15; 1 Corinthians 4:14-21; 16:10-11; Philippians 2:19; 1 Thessalonians 3:1-10; 1 Timothy 1:3-14; 3:14-15.

DEVOTIONAL READING: Psalms 119:129-136.

## Faith: A Family Tradition

Lesson for September 26, 1948

HERE IS a brief Bible quiz: What Christian man did Paul recommend to the Philippians as the one completely unselfish person he knew? When Paul needed a man to present his ideas to a "problem church" whom did he send? When Paul wanted reliable information about a church, on whose report did he depend? Whom did Paul call "son" more often than any one else? The answer to all these questions is the same: Timothy.

Certainly a man whom the great Saint Paul found so congenial, so reliable, so unselfish and effective a Christian, is a man worth our careful attention. We ask this question about him: What made him what he was?

### Faith at Home

SOME MEN have to leave home to find faith. But perhaps the happiest Christians, certainly the most fortunate, are those who cannot remember what it was not to have faith. It was the atmosphere they breathed as children. The first people they knew were Christians, prayer and faith were taken for granted, the name of Christ was heard only in reverence and love, never in jest or anger.

Timothy grew up in such a home. When he became a mature, working Christian he had no wasted years to regret, no wild oats to pull up. The faith of his adult mind was not scarred by the acid remains of earlier doubt. Timothy's life was all of one piece. He was born to faith, he grew up in it.

Home can do a great deal for the children who live in it. But nothing else—physical health, peace, culture, friends, ambition—nothing else is quite so valuable a gift or quite so lasting, as faith.

In later years faith may have to be pounded into a person or shocked into him; but in childhood faith is woven in, welded in, and that is as it should be. Happy the Christian who does not have to turn his back on his childhood when he turns his face to Christ!

### Book of Wisdom

"RELIGION cannot be taught. It can only be caught," is an old saying. It is partly true, for you cannot set any dozen people at random down on a bench and teach them into faith. If teaching religion were as simple as that, then every Sunday school could guarantee that every one of its graduates would become a saint. Nevertheless, religion can partly be taught, for in a book there may be crystallized the faith of many a generation. A book may concentrate and preserve the insight, the inspiration, the assurance of men and women who though dead yet speak.

Living with books of faith is like living with many families of faith at the same time. Such a book is the Bible. And it was the Bible, or so much of it as had been written, the Old Testament, which was the one book in Timothy's boyhood home. Through the Scriptures, the boy's mother taught her son not merely her own faith but that of many a generation before her time.

In our own day, parents may feel that they come too far short of being saints, so they hesitate about urging their perhaps dimly-felt religion on their children. Yet in our Bible there is open to all fathers and mothers a means of placing their children in an atmosphere of intense faith. Personal religious genius is rare; but even though you may be anything but a genius, you still can bring to your child the treasures of the Bible, product of the highest inspiration and insight the world has known.

### Women of the Family

TIMOTHY'S FATHER was Greek, probably not a Christian. He and Timothy may never have understood each other. It was the women of the family who molded the boy's mind and heart, his mother, Eunice, and his grandmother, Lois.

It is always so. It is the women of a family who have most influence for faith or against it. The boy knows his mother before he knows anyone else. She teaches him to talk, he absorbs her attitudes and ideas even before he understands them. If father and mother differ in religion, it is likely that children will follow mother rather than father.

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## HOUSEHOLD MEMOS

by Lynn Chambers



Nourishing Boxed Lunches Are Hard to Resist (See recipes below)

### Lunch Box Magic

WHILE THE YOUNGSTERS struggle with readin', writin' and 'rithmetic, mother frequently has her problems with the lunch boxes which she must fix for the family that totes its own.

The lunch box preparation is a steady grind now that school has started, and it's a wonder that more women don't go into the doldrums about it more often. You have to supply nourishment plus food appeal to keep the family happy with their meals out of a box, so here are ideas aplenty.

If you have several lunches to prepare, have jars of filling ready. All lunch box equipment can be kept handy on a tray so that you don't have to scurry around for waxed paper or a knife while you try making sandwiches in the midst of breakfast preparation and serving.

Leave butter or spread out the night before so that you can smooth it on immediately. Fruits can be washed, puddings made in advance, and relishes such as carrot and cucumber sticks and pickles can be wrapped in waxed paper ready to tuck in the box in the morning.

BE KIND to the budget and make the whole thing as simple as possible by making several jars of filling beforehand so they can be slicked on the sandwiches easily. Here are several ideas tailored to your needs.

**Special Sandwich Filling**  
2 hard-cooked eggs  
1 can pimiento  
1 small onion  
4 stalks celery  
Salt and pepper to taste  
2 packages cream cheese

Chop eggs and pimiento fine. Put onion and celery through food chopper, then mix all ingredients with cream cheese and season to taste. Let stand 15 to 20 minutes or longer before using. Thin to spreading consistency with mayonnaise.

**Beef-Tomato Filling**  
1 pint hot tomato pulp, strained  
2 tablespoons quick tapioca  
½ pound grated cheese  
½ pound dried beef, ground fine  
½ teaspoon pepper  
½ teaspoon mustard  
Add tapioca to hot tomato and cook over low flame for 15 minutes. Add cheese gradually and cook slowly until melted. Remove from heat, add beef and seasonings. Cool and store.

**Corned Beef Spread**  
4 ounces cooked corned beef  
½ cup minced sweet pickle  
2 tablespoons mayonnaise  
1 teaspoon prepared mustard  
2 teaspoons minced onion  
2 ounces sharp American cheese  
Salt and pepper

Cut cheese into tiny pieces and blend with mayonnaise. Add shredded corned beef and remaining ingredients. These sandwiches can be made up with sliced tomato and lettuce, if desired.

**Cheese-Bacon Spread**  
3 ounces cream cheese  
3 ounces Old English cheese  
½ cup chopped, cooked bacon  
½ teaspoon Worcestershire sauce  
½ teaspoon horseradish  
2 tablespoons milk

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Toasted sandwiches are always popular and take but little time to make with a regular toaster, grill or skillet.

Hot toast can be spread with any number of fillings kept on tap, and served with pickles, relishes, potato chips, carrot sticks, cole slaw, or munched with fresh fruit.

If you want a more nourishing sandwich, dip it into a french toast mixture and fry in the skillet.

### LYNN CHAMBERS' MENU

Baked Lamb Loaf  
Broiled Peach Halves with Mint Jelly  
Baked Potatoes  
Spinach with Cheese Sauce  
Oatmeal Bread or Muffins  
Baked Apples Beverage

Blend ingredients together thoroughly and store until ready to use.

**Liver Spread**  
¼ pound calves' liver  
1½ teaspoons salt  
2 cups boiling water  
8 slices cooked bacon  
½ cup soured cream or salad dressing  
2 tablespoons prepared mustard  
2 tablespoons minced onion  
Dash of pepper

Simmer liver in salt and water until tender. Cool and put through fine blade on food chopper. Run bacon through chopper. Mix all ingredients, place in jars and chill until used.

### HERE ARE OTHER well-liked fillings:

Frizzled dried beef browned with onion in the skillet, then mixed with cream cheese.

Peanut butter mixed with orange marmalade.

Sliced cooked beef roast with chili butter, made by mixing softened butter with chili sauce to taste.

Chopped ham mixed with mayonnaise and shredded pineapple, drained.

Grated American cheese mixed with grated raw carrots, grated raw onion and mayonnaise.

USE THESE TRICKS for the lunch box when appetites fail, when there's an exam or some special event.

**Meat Pastries (Makes 4)**  
1 cup pastry mix  
1 cup ground leftover meat  
¼ cup tomato soup

Roll out pastry one-eighth inch thick. Cut into four squares. Place a mound of cooked meat on each square. Top with one tablespoon of tomato sauce. Fold pastry squares and pinch edges together. Bake in a hot (400 degree) oven about 20 minutes or until browned. These can be baked if you are making a hot bread in the morning. They are good even when cold and take the place of sandwiches.

**Lunch Box Eggs**  
2 hard-cooked eggs  
1½ inch slice liver sausage  
1 ounce cream cheese  
1 tablespoon milk  
1 teaspoon prepared mustard

Remove shells from eggs and cut in half lengthwise. Remove yolks and mash. Mash liver sausage, blend with cream cheese and milk and egg yolks. Add mustard and blend thoroughly. Refill whites and press eggs together.

Here are other sweets for packed lunches: gingerbread topped with lemon powdered sugar frosting; individual upside down cake made in a custard cup and left in the cup, maple sugar candy, popcorn balls, cookies or puddings.

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Cream cheese mixed with pineapple or orange marmalade, spread on toast, is good when broiled until bubbly.

Canned or cooked tongue, sliced thin, can be spread with pickle relish and toasted.

Salmon and tuna fish salad mixtures make excellent toasted sandwiches. Season the fish salad with horseradish, mayonnaise and salt.

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Mr and Mrs Marvin Davison visited his parents (Mr and Mrs W F Davison in McCaulley last week-end. Their home is Dallas.

Mr and Mrs Charlie Cooper from Fort Worth and Mr and Mrs W W Grubb from Abilene visited last week in the home of Mr and Mrs W B Mayo.

Miss Patsy Maberry, McMurry College student, was home last week-end.

Miss Mary Ann McCollum, music teacher in Abilene, visited her parents, Mr and Mrs Levi McCollum, last week-end.

Mr and Mrs Rufus Herbst left Saturday for a four-weeks hunt in Colorado, Wyoming and other states. Rufus has his permit and license to hunt elk, bear and deer in those states.

The rain came in McCaulley last Saturday and the folks had a right to be excited. Some saw rain for the first time, at least the babies who arrived within the last 60 days. At least one and one-half inches fell Saturday and Saturday night and wheat farmers are jubilant.

The McCaulley gin had ginned 300 bales prior to Saturday at noon last week. Approximately 40 per cent of the cotton is gathered.

Bundle feed is selling in the field as low as seven cents per bundle in this vicinity. Some is good, too.

The world series and football games were attracting most of the attention in this community last week.

LT W H Pickren from Barksdale Field, Louisiana visited parents in Hamlin and wife's parents in McCaulley last week-end. Mrs Pickren returned with him to their home in Louisiana after a weeks visit in this vicinity.

Several McCaulley stockholders attended the meeting Sunday afternoon in the Hamlin High School when nine new directors were elected to guide the hospital on the road to recovery.

Thanks to Lewis Rector for a years subscription to The Hamlin Herald.

McCaulley's six man football team defeated Sylvester 27 to 0 on the Sylvester gridiron last Friday. Paul Waldrop in the first few minutes of play picked up a Sylvester fumble and ran 10 yards to score. H Fought went over for the extra point. Fought scored in the second quarter on a 30-yard run. A pass from Fought to Hicks accounted for the extra point.

Sylvester's only threat came when Tommy Early picked up a McCaulley fumble and ran 50 yards to be brought down on the five-yard line by Fought. First score for McCaulley came in the third quarter when Hawkins, on receiving the kickoff, raced 60 yards to pay dirt. The last score was when Fought went over center to score, then Fought passed to Lawlis for extra point. Almost all of the B team saw action in the game. Thrills came when little R y Cozart caught a 30-yard pass from Pud Lawlis and ran to the five-yard line. Lawlis carried the ball over on the next play.

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## Service Station Sold In Hamlin Thursday

Sale of the C & H Service Station, on Central Avenue, was announced this week by L O Carpenter, former owner of the business. The sale was made last Thursday.

New owners of the business are W D Gann, formerly of Anson, and W M Burleson of near Hamlin. Burleson has been employed by service stations here for several months. Gann has been engaged in farming near Anson.

Gann plans to move his family, which consists of his wife and two children, to Hamlin as soon as housing is available.

The name of the station has been changed to the B & H Service Station.

Carpenter, who operated the station for the past nine months, has gone to Odessa, where he is employed, and will move his family there late this week.

## Fire Drill Friday Tests Gade Pupils

With no advance announcement, Hamlin's Fire Department made a run to the Elementary School last Friday afternoon to give the pupils a realistic fire drill.

The students evacuated the building in orderly fashion in less than a minute from the sounding of the fire alarm, according to Mickey McGuire, fire chief.

## ATTENDS FAIR CONTEST.

Dorothy Foster, Avoca 4-H Club girl, left Thursday for Dallas to attend the state 4-H Dress Revue. Expenses for the trip were paid by the Hamlin, Anson and Stamford Chambers of Commerce.

Mr and Mrs Audrey Bush of Texas City and Mrs Minnie Potter of Anson spent Tuesday as guests of Connie Drake.

## Lion Official Talks To Club Here Tuesday

Cleo Carter, superintendent of the schools at Sweetwater, and deputy district governor of Lions Clubs, was the speaker at Tuesday noon's meeting of the Hamlin Lions Club.

Preceding the talk by Tarter, Joe Culbertson, chairman for the Boy Scout drive in Hamlin, gave a brief discussion of scout work here and urged participation of local people in the program.

Tarter stressed the work being done by the Lions International in the program for the blind and near-blind, and urged a more active participation in civic and community affairs.

## Local FFA Boys Won Haskell Fair Priezs

Hamlin's FFA members won several prizes for livestock and poultry in the Haskell County Fair last week, it was announced Wednesday.

Eldon Campbell won first and grand champion with his duroc barrow; Ted Kelley won second and third, and Wesley Campbell won fourth in the same division.

Raymond Scifres won first with hampshire sow and litter.

In the poultry division Ray Riley won first, second and third, and W S Wilcox won a first, second and third in ducks and capons.

In the State Fair at Dallas Jack Willingham placed third with a shorthorn steer and thirteenth with a hereford. James Brigham won seventh with a hereford steer.

## EDUCATOR IS VISITOR.

Dr and Mrs C C Rister of Norman, Oklahoma, spent Tuesday night in Hamlin as guests of Mrs M P May. They were accompanied by James Moody, a student in Oklahoma University, who is a nephew of Eugene Holman, president of the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey. The Risters and Moody were enroute to Abilene, where H-lman spoke Wednesday at dedication of a new dormitory. Dr Rister is a teacher in Oklahoma University.

Mr and Mrs Clyde Angel spent Tuesday in Temple on business.

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**PICKLES, sour or dill ... 1 9c**

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Pet Apple Pie

(Recipe below)

Hot Coffee

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**Pet Apple Pie**

Broadcast: October 2, 1948

3 cups sifted, all-purpose flour

1 1/2 teaspoons salt

1/2 cup shortening

1/2 cup water

6 cups pared apples, thinly sliced

1 cup sugar

1 1/2 teaspoons cinnamon

Sift flour with 1 teaspoon salt. Work in shortening. When mixture has appearance of small peas, stir in gradually mixture of 1/4 cup milk and the water. On floured board, roll half of

pastry into a 10-inch round. Fit loosely into a deep 9-inch pie pan. Trim, if necessary. Put apples into large bowl. Pour over remaining 1/4 cup milk. With spoon, turn apples gently over and over until all are coated with the milk. Then fold in a mixture of sugar, cinnamon and remaining 1/2 teaspoon salt. Put into pastry-lined pie pan. Roll remaining pastry into 10-inch round. Fold in half; with tip of knife cut several gashes along fold. Moisten edges of pastry in pan with water. Unfold pastry loosely over apples, being careful not to stretch. Fold edge of upper pastry under lower edge. Pinch with fingers to make fancy edge. Bake in hot oven (450° F.) on shelf slightly above center 10 minutes. Reduce heat to slow (325° F.) and bake 50 minutes longer, or until apples are tender and pastry is brown. Cool before cutting.

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## Name New Board At City Hospital

### Group of Nine Men Selected Sunday to Manage Business Affairs of Association

A group of nine men from Hamlin and surrounding area was named to serve as directors for the Hamlin Memorial Hospital Association, in a meeting in the High School auditorium Sunday afternoon.

The meeting had been called by Bowen Pope, active for the past year in management of the hospital affairs, after a previously selected board had declined to serve.

W L Fletcher Jr., was selected as temporary chairman for Sunday's meeting and M S Johnson was named as secretary.

More than 130 people gathered for the meeting, which was the third called during the past several weeks for the purpose of effecting an organization for the institution.

A section of the constitution adopted for the association was read by Johnson, and several stockholders present made brief talks on the organization and asked questions concerning certain phases of operation.

Pope, who has served as secretary of the association gave a financial report in which he detailed income and expense of the hospital. He said it is his opinion that the hospital can be made to pay its own way and retire all indebtedness against it.

In a brief talk to the stockholders Pope said, "I have served as secretary of this association and manager of the hospital until my strength is exhausted. I have done my best. Now it is time for me to retire from the job and turn it over to someone else."

"For today," he continued, "I will be only a member of the association, because I am no longer going to take an active part in its management. What you people do with the hospital after today is your business. And whatever you decide to do, you will find me willing to go along."

"I am ashamed of our town for the confusion that has resulted recently from this business," he went on. "We have two of the finest doctors in the country in our hospital and they can be run off by such

Mrs Lola Harbert and daughter, Mrs Jim Richardson, visited relatives in Denton and Dallas, and attended the State Fair this week. Mrs Richardson is on vacation from the Sundown post office.

## Mighty Mice Defeat Rotan; Ready To Meet Anson in Thursday's Game

Bouncing back with a vengeance after their defeat at Stamford two weeks ago, the Mighty Mice trounced the Rotan team in a game on the Hamlin field last Thursday night 35 to 13.

The game was definitely Hamlin's throughout and the juniors were able to score almost at will.

Points were made by the following players: Truice Hargrove 18; Milton Butler 12; Loyce Hargrove 2; Robert Fletcher 1. A setback penalty for the Rotan team accounted for the other two points in the final score.

The Mice have been going through their drill this week under the tutelage of Coach Johnny Howell, and are in excellent condition for Thursday night's tussle, when they will face the Anson Juniors on Anson's home field.

The Anson team has been playing good ball, Howell said Wednesday, but they lost to Stamford by a score of 14-13.

"The Mighty Mice ought to be

## Hospital Auxiliary Is Organized Here

First meeting of the Hamlin Memorial Hospital Auxiliary, was held in the City Hall Tuesday afternoon, when plans were made for aiding the operation of the cooperative institution.

Mrs W Wallace was named chairman of the group and announced that a chairman will be appointed later from each church in Hamlin.

The next meeting will be held in the City Hall Wednesday afternoon, October 27 at 3:00 o'clock. All women of Hamlin are invited to attend.

## Fletcher Is Named as Hospital Board Head

W L Fletcher Jr., was elected president of the Hamlin Memorial Hospital board in an organization meeting held Tuesday evening in the reception room of the hospital.

Other officers named are J C Turner Jr., vice president, and Clifford B Phelps, secretary-treasurer. Other directors are M S Johnson, F W Poe, Tom Vaughan, Raleigh Reynolds, C E Gregory and Alton Mayfield.

The board authorized Dr J F Hoot and Dr E L Haag to secure the services of two registered nurses, a laboratory technician and a practical nurse for full time employees of the institution.

It was voted to employ a certified public accountant to audit the financial affairs of the hospital and to issue a public statement of the condition.

A new schedule of room charges was adopted with room rates set at \$7.50 and \$6.50 per day. Members will be given \$1.50 per day discount on rooms, the board agreed.

## County's Cotton Crop Estimate Is For Half of 1947

An official report from Bowen Pope, special agent for the Department of Commerce, revealed that 5,455 bales had been ginned in Jones County prior to October 1, as compared with 7,110 bales ginned prior to October 1, 1947.

Jones County's 1948 cotton crop will be approximately one half of the amount of cotton produced in the 1947 season, county ginners estimated this week.

With the picking season said to be at least 40 per cent completed, less than half of the number of bales ginned last year have been processed.

Last year Jones County produced a total of 30,043 bales, and cotton men estimate this year's crop will not exceed 18,000 bales.

However, it was reported, ginners are finding the staple to be of unusually good quality and the grade is good.

In Hamlin, where the season was slow to get started, the two gins had processed only 754 bales prior to Wednesday of this week.

The Producers Gin had handled a total of 400 bales, and the Farmers Cooperative Gin reported 354 bales.

The rain of Saturday and Sunday caused all cotton harvesting to stop and pickers were not able to enter the fields for several days. However, ginners said with clear weather returning, the harvest will be resumed and it is expected to be completed before the latter part of November.

## Receipts Slump At Post Office From Last Year

Postal receipts in Hamlin for the first three quarters of 1948 slumped approximately 10 per cent from the total for the same period of 1947, Perry Sparks, post master, said this week.

The total for the first nine months of 1947 was \$15,483.53, the post master said, compared with \$14,578 for the first nine months of 1948.

The third quarter of 1948 brought total receipts of \$4,494.69 as compared with \$4,690.30 for the third quarter of 1947.

Record high receipts for all times was set in 1945 when the post office took in from all sources a total of \$25,314.76.

Receipts for 1946 were \$21,217, and for 1947, \$22,188.90.

Sparks said a large share of the slump is due to the closing out of the Hamlin Hatchery, which did a large amount of mail order business while it was in operation.

Mrs Landin Davis and daughter, Louisa, spent the first of the week as guests of Mrs Davis' parents, Mr and Mrs Buck Wilemon.

R N Fairley left Saturday for Fort Worth to join Mrs Fairley and their son, James, where they will make their home. The Fairleys have been residents of Hamlin for the past year.

## Church of Christ Revival to Open Here Wednesday

A series of gospel meetings will open in the Hamlin Church of Christ Wednesday, October 20, according to J Cleo Scott, minister.

Preaching for the series of meetings will be E R Harper of Abilene, well known evangelist and widely acclaimed as a radio minister.

Conducting the singing will be Milton Fletcher, former Hamlin resident, and now song leader for the Preston Roads Church of Christ in Dallas.

Fletcher is a graduate of Hamlin High School and later attended Abilene Christian College in Abilene.

The meetings will be conducted each evening at 7:30 and each afternoon at 3, Scott said.

The public is invited to attend the series, which will close Sunday, October 31.

## Mrs. Kite Is Injured In Automobile Crash

Mrs R L Kite suffered painful injuries early Monday when the automobile she was driving was struck by another car in Abilene. Mrs Kite had driven to Abilene with her husband, who planned to take a train for Odessa, where he is employed.

After treatment in Hendrick Memorial Hospital, Mrs Kite was removed by ambulance to the Hamlin Memorial Hospital, where she is recuperating.

## History of Oil Industry Given In Rotary Talk

A history of the oil industry and its phenomenal growth during the 90 years of its existence was given at a meeting of the Hamlin Rotary Club Wednesday by Eddie Jay, a member of the club.

Jay, who was introduced by Elmer Feagan, as a speaker in observance of Oil Progress Day, outlined the growth of oil production, of refining and of transportation.

He said that average per capita consumption of oil products in the United States is 636 gallons annually. "There are more than 1200 products," he said, "made from petroleum and used by millions of Americans in their daily lives."

The oil industry got its start in 1859 when a well was drilled at Titusville, Pennsylvania, by hand power. Oil was discovered there at a depth of 63 feet, and the drilling operation took several months.

Today, Jay said, a well can be sunk several thousand feet in the course of only a few days by means of power-driven rotary equipment.

The speaker said that 2,000,000 people are employed in the United States in oil production or refining, and there are more than 150,000 miles of pipelines to carry the crude or the finished products across the country.

A large group of guests from Abilene and Stamford were introduced at the meeting. Joe Culbertson, chairman of the Boy Scout drive in Hamlin made a brief talk in which he asked participation of the Rotarians in the fund raising campaign. The club voted to pay \$25 from its treasury into the Scout fund.

## Rotary Governor to Visit Here Wednesday

Hamlin's Rotary Club will be host to Bill Todd of Fort Worth, Rotary District Governor, in the noon meeting of the organization next Wednesday, Bill Terry, president, has announced.

Todd will come here for a meeting with the board of directors next Tuesday night, and will speak to the club at its regular weekly luncheon.

## Pep Squad to Display New Uniforms Friday

Hamlin High School's pep squad members will be dressed in new uniforms for the first time Friday night, when they will appear at the Hamlin-Roscoe game.

The new uniforms are green gabardine, military style, with white braid. The drum major's uniform is white gabardine with gold braid, and the cheer leaders and majorettes will be dressed in white gabardine with green braid.

The uniforms have been on order for several weeks.

## Jones Leads Area In Oil Production

### Fisher Ranks Seventh in District 7-B, With Production Still Climbing

On the basis of allowable production of oil, Jones County has forged into the lead as a producer of crude oil in District 7-B, it was learned this week.

With an estimated annual production of 6,000,000 barrels, Jones was far ahead of Stephens County, its nearest competitor, which will produce approximately 3,500,000 barrels under the Railroad Commission allowable.

The 7-B district is composed of 17 West Texas Counties, including Brown, Callahan, Coleman, Comanche, Eastland, Erath, Fisher, Haskell, Jones, Palo Pinto, Shackelford, Stephens, Stonewall, Taylor, Throckmorton and the Chico field of Wise County.

Oil was first produced in Jones County in 1926, when a field was brought in in the Noodle area. Since that time production of oil has spread to almost every part of the county and new wells are being brought in almost daily.

In 1938, Jones County had 425 producing wells and production had climbed to 450,000 barrels. At the present time there are more than 1,000 wells producing the county's 6,000,000 barrels.

In the Jones County fields last week, activity nearest Hamlin was reported as follows: A west extension was assured for the new King sand area, eight miles west of Anson, as operators waited for cement to set before drilling the plug on the North American Oil Company's No. 1 J M Arnett.

Casing was cemented at the top

## Calf Roping to Be Staged Near Hamlin Sunday

Matched calf roping, sponsored by the Hamlin Rodeo Association, will be staged one mile west of Hamlin on the Aspermont highway Sunday afternoon.

The program is slated to get underway at 2:00 o'clock Sunday afternoon.

Joe Gray of Hamlin is matched against John Wallace of Haskell in the roping of eight calves. Weldon Rutledge of Abilene will compete against Ed Willifong of Haskell in the roping of six calves.

In addition to the matched roping on program for the day, a jack-pot roping event is planned.

## Public Is Invited to Inspect City Budget

The public will be invited to inspect the annual budget for Hamlin, which will be available at a meeting of the City Council in the City Hall next Tuesday night.

Any resident of Hamlin will be permitted to be present at the discussion of the year's receipts and expenditures.

## "INTO BYWAYS AND HEDGES . . ."

## Hamlin Church of Christ Announces Ambitious Missionary Plan in Japan

The membership of the Hamlin Church of Christ is taking literally the Scriptural injunction to "Go into the byways and hedges" for converts.

A church of only 175 membership, according to J Cleo Scott, minister, the local congregation is preparing to spend approximately \$20,000 during the next two years to carry its message to the people of Japan.

At present the church is busily engaged in the long-distance erection of a church building in the island empire of America's former enemies.

The building, together with a pastor's home, will cost in the neighborhood of \$15,000, Scott said.

A minister will be employed for the Japanese congregation, and his salary will be paid by the Hamlin Church of Christ. A salary for the man has been set at \$250 per month.

ter a dry test from that point of the King sand at 3,133 feet, at a total depth of 3,140 feet had given 100 feet of oil in one and one half hours.

In the Hamlin field, in Fisher County, the Dr Bryant No. 4 hit the Reef at 4,800 feet and cemented casing. Operators were preparing to drill the plug Thursday and the well is expected to be tested before the end of the week.

Oil men said the well promises to be as good a producer as the other three Bryant wells recently completed.

Dr Bryant was moving his rig to a new location on the southwest corner of the southwest quarter of section 213, where he planned to put down the Eleanor Towne No. 1.

The well will be located 660 feet due east of the other Bryant wells. It was believed drilling operations would get underway late this week on the new test.

## District Cager Group Formed In Meeting in City

Reorganization of District 5-A Basketball Association was effected in a meeting in the Hamlin High School building Monday evening.

Representatives from Anson, Albany, Haskell, Merkel, Roby, Roscoe, Rotan, Snyder, Stamford and Hamlin were present and discussed plans for the year's play.

R A McColium, superintendent of Merkel schools, was reelected chairman of the organization.

The district was reorganized on the same basis as last year, with additional schools voted into the loop. The members of the group last year are Anson, Stamford, Hamlin, Rotan, Colorado City and Snyder. Voted into membership are Merkel, Roscoe, Loraine, Roby, Haskell, Throckmorton, Albany and Munday.

The 5-A district was divided into two halves, I R Hutchingson, superintendent of Hamlin Schools, said. The east half will include Stamford, Haskell, Anson, Throckmorton, Albany and Munday.

A double round robin will be played and the two top teams in each half will then meet for a tournament to determine the district championship.

## Rainfall Saturday, Sunday, 1.73 Inches

Breaking the drought that had gripped this area for many months, a general rainfall which began early Saturday morning, left almost two inches of moisture during two days of precipitation.

Rainfall gauged Saturday at the City Pump Station measured .99 of an inch. Saturday night the rain measured .74 of an inch to total the 1.73 inches.



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brought to the attention of the management.

## Building Better Boys

A movement that has for its sole purpose the building of better boys and the growing of better men has received scant attention in Hamlin as compared with its reception in other towns of comparable size.

The movement in question is the Boy Scout movement, which for years has succeeded in giving boys a needed outlet for their energies, and creating higher ideals for their plans in life.

Joe Culbertson, who was named chairman for a fund raising campaign in Hamlin, reported this week that he had been unable to secure proper cooperation from many Hamlin business and civic leaders.

Such a situation should bring shame to the hearts of every resident of our town. Such a situation should not be permitted to exist in a progressive community such as that we have here.

The boys of Hamlin need scouting, and the business and professional men of Hamlin owe their solid support of this program to the youths who will in a few years take the places of all of us in business and civic matters.

It is passing strange that community leaders will get up plenty of enthusiasm when a fat stock show is presented, and they will work long and assiduously to promote some community project that involves better crops or better chickens, but when called upon to take a small part in a plan for building better boys they immediately begin to make excuses. Surely men who do this have not considered the matter deeply.

Joe Culbertson and J. Cleo Scott have done their share toward sponsoring an active Boy Scout program in Hamlin. They have gone to the limit of their ability in trying to interest others in the plan. But in spite of what work they have done—together with the aid of others—they have been unable to create enthusiastic response among other residents here.

It is not Joe Culbertson and Cleo Scott that we are letting down. The program can mean no material advantage to either of them. No, we're not letting them down at all, but we are letting down the boys of Hamlin who look to us for leadership, and who must stand mutely by wondering if we are more interested in fine farm animals than we are in better young men.

Hamlin needs the scouting program—Hamlin's boys need the training they can get in the program—but we can never have it unless we are willing to give of our time, our talents and our money.

## Lack of Courtesy

West Texas is famed for the courtesy and hospitality of its citizens, and the friendliness of people of this area has become legendary throughout the length and breadth of the land.

However, there is an occasion when West Texans lose their traditional courteous manner and revert to the boorish attitude commonly attributed to people from sections of the country far distant from this area.

There seems to be a change in attitude of Texans when they get behind the wheels of automobiles and drive on the highways of this vicinity.

Recently a motorist, coming from Abilene late at night, reported he had met 23 automobiles whose drivers refused to dim their glaring lights; 19 others would not dim their lights until they had been signalled several times by the driver who reported the incident, and some dimmed when only a few feet from the other car.

Bright, blinding lights at night can contribute easily to serious automobile wrecks, and many fatal accidents no doubt have been caused by this factor.

It is a simple thing to touch the dimming button and throw the beam of light to the right of oncoming traffic, and such an action is a courtesy due the driver approaching.

Texans have plenty of courtesy and plenty of friendliness and plenty of hospitality, but many of them seem to lose all of these attributes when they take the wheel of their automobiles.

Politicians are funny—for instance Candidate Truman takes credit for high wages and high prices for farm products, but denies responsibility for high costs of living. While on the other hand Candidate Wallace says wages need to go up another 25 per cent and prices need to come down at last 30 per cent. It's difficult to see how we can have high wages without charging high prices for commodities the public needs to buy. After all, wages constitute an ingredient of the cost of production.

The breaking of our searing drought by last week's bountiful rains should give all of us occasion for reflection upon the providence of God. It matters not how carefully a farmer tends his lands, nor what kind of seeds he plants, unless God sends the moisture the fertile lands of Texas remain barren and unproductive.

## THE AMERICAN WAY

HE LOOKED LIKE  
SUCH A NICE  
LITTLE POOCH—  
WOULD MAKE A  
GOOD FAMILY PET!



BUT WHEN HE  
GREW UP  
THEY COULDN'T  
GET RID OF HIM!



My, How It Grows!

## At Local Area --

### CHURCHES

(Editor's Note—We of The Herald would like to have all the church news from the surrounding communities. Send the news to us, please!)

#### FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

Will C. House, D. D. Minister  
Joe A. Simpson, superintendent.  
Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.  
Sunday School 10:00 a. m.  
Evening Worship 7:30 p. m.  
Mid-Week Service, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.

#### FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. A. R. Posey, Pastor  
Sunday School 10:00 a. m.  
Preaching 11:00 a. m.  
Training Union 7:00 p. m.  
Evening Preaching 8:00 p. m.  
Prayer Meeting, Wednesday 8:00 p. m.  
WMU, Monday, 2:30 p. m.  
GA (Girls') Monday 4:00 p. m.  
RA (Boys') Monday 4:00 p. m.

#### CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

Rev. Howard Smith, Pastor  
Sunday School 9:45 a. m.  
Preaching 10:45 a. m.  
N. Y. P. S. 7:15 p. m.  
Evening Service 8:00 p. m.  
Mid-Week Prayer Service, Wednesday 8:15 p. m.  
W. F. M. S., Mondays 3:00 p. m.

#### FOUR SQUARE CHURCH

Rev. Alice Harrell, Pastor  
Sunday School 9:45 a. m.  
Morning Preaching 11:00 a. m.  
Crusaders 6:30 p. m.  
Preaching 7:45 p. m.  
Prayer Meeting, Wednesday at 7:45 p. m.  
Bible Study, Friday 7:45 p. m.  
Circle for Ladies Missionary Society held each Monday in different homes at 2:30 p. m.  
Services held at the Gravel Pit each Thursday at 7:45 p. m.

#### CHURCH OF CHRIST

J. Cleo Scott, Minister  
Morning Bible Class 9:45 a. m.  
Morning Worship 10:50 a. m.  
Evening Bible Class 6:45 p. m.  
Evening Worship Hour 7:30 p. m.  
Bible Study, Wednesday 7:30 p. m.

#### UNITED PENTECOSTAL CHURCH

Donald F. Berry, Pastor  
Sunday School 10:00 a. m.  
Morning Preaching 11:00 a. m.  
Evening Preaching 8:00 p. m.  
Prayer Meeting, Wednesday at 8:00 p. m.  
Bible Study, Friday 8:00 p. m.  
Woman's Missionary, Tuesday at 2:00 p. m.

#### CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. W. E. Nunn, Pastor  
Sunday School 10:00 a. m.  
Preaching Service 11:00 a. m.  
Training Union 7:00 p. m.  
Preaching Hour 8:00 p. m.  
Prayer Meeting, Wednesday at 8:00 p. m.  
W. M. S. 2:30 p. m.  
Choir Practice, Friday 8:00 p. m.

#### FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD

Rev. Lester M. Woods, Pastor  
Sunday School 10:00 a. m.  
Morning Preaching 11:00 a. m.  
Evangelistic Service 7:30 p. m.  
C. A. Service, every Tuesday night, 7:30 p. m.

Morning Service 11:00 a. m.  
Evening Service 8:00 p. m.

### GOLAN METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. William McReynolds, Pastor  
Every third Sunday preaching service.  
Sunday School 10:00 a. m.  
Morning Service 11:00 a. m.  
Evening Service 8:00 p. m.

### DOVIE METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. Olin Butler, Pastor  
Sunday School 10:00 a. m.  
Morning Service 11:00 a. m.  
Prayer Service 7:30 p. m.  
Evening Service 8:00 p. m.

### SYLVESTER METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. Elva Phillips, Pastor  
Sunday School 10:00 a. m.  
Preaching 11:00 a. m.  
M. Y. F. 7:15 p. m.  
Evening Service 8:00 p. m.  
Mid-Week Prayer Service, Wednesday 8:15 p. m.  
W. S. C. S., Mondays 3:00 p. m.

## Taylor County Asks For Jones Farm Agent

A request was filed with W. Marchal, district farm agent, San Angelo, last week by the Taylor County Commissioners for the transfer of H. C. Stanley to serve Taylor County agent.

Stanley is at present serving Jones County agent, with headquarters in Anson.

Appointment of Stanley to Taylor County is a matter for the Extension Department to determine, it was pointed out, and no information as to whether the request will be granted was available.

### IN CALLAN HOSPITAL

Hamlin residents who received treatment in the Callan Hospital last week are: Juana Basil, Mrs. Lee Morrow, Mrs. A. O. Tind, and Mrs. Lydia Miller. Mrs. W. Kemp underwent surgery in the Rotan institution and Mrs. Harb Bonner underwent a tonsilectomy. Mrs. Eliza Early of Sylvester was a patient in Callan Hospital last week.

## OCTOBER SPECIAL

Special during the month of October—all quilts, blankets and bed spreads will be reduced in price so that you may prepare for winter at a great saving.

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The annual budget of the City of Hamlin, for the 1948-49 fiscal year, will be presented at the next meeting of the City Council, Tuesday evening, October 19 at 7:30.

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## ROBBERS, MURDERERS, CROOKS . . .

### All Get Chance to Star in Prison's Annual Rodeo; Inmate Writes Story

By Doug Harmon, Inmate Reporter

My rodeo assignment began several weeks ago when the riders started coming in off the farms to try out for the 17th Annual Prison Rodeo. The editor asked me to cover the try-outs and stay with the riders throughout the series of six October performances.

It's an experience I wouldn't trade. I've learned to know these riders. To those in the world "outside," they're robbers, murderers, swindlers, and bad actors of every description. Penologists say that men like this, convicts, are non-cooperative, and lack the spirit to do a job well. They should know these men.

As a group, these inmates who risk being mauled, maimed or killed at very performance, have the spirit of a college football team, starting individually, but working as a team, to the best interests of the Prison Rodeo. There are old-timers, top hands in their youth, now paying the State of Texas for a breach of code, with the twilight of their lives, and youngsters who would be top hands in any outfit, were it not for a previous miss-step. Newcomers, oldsters, Texans, and outstaters are working together, pulling together, doing their level best to make each Prison Rodeo the very best one.

After last Sunday's show, I was asked which event seemed to be the most outstanding. From my positions at the chutes, wild bull riding seems to me to be the highlight.

The bulls, brought in from the Brazoria bottom-lands, are the most evil-tempered beasts in the entire show. Not satisfied with merely unseating their riders, these bulls usually attempt to maul fallen riders, and don't through the ceaseless vigil.

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of the pick-up men are serious injuries avoided. These huge Brahmas even attack the horsemen at times.

The very atmosphere around the chutes is ominous as nervous, half-scared but determined convicts who ride, poised over their brutal mounts. When the chute opens, all is chaos. A ton of deadly bone and muscle, writhes, leaps, and tosses about in all directions. The dazed and often battered rider, can only hope to stay aloft for a few seconds. Then hitting the dirt, he knows that only luck and swift action on the part of the pick-up men will keep him from serious injury.

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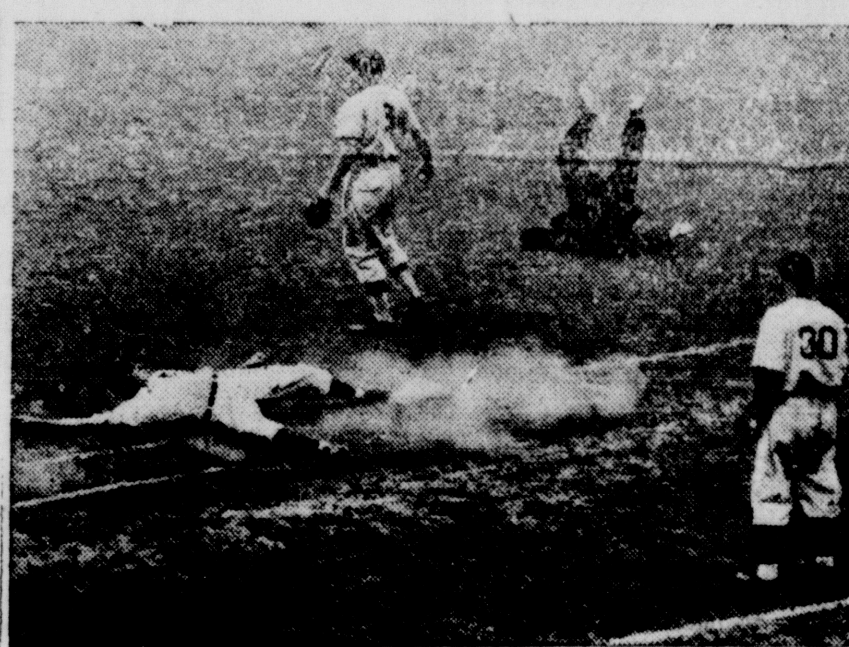
So, next Sunday or any Sunday this month, come on to Huntsville and see this greatest of all prison shows, reserved seats are only \$2, and there'll be plenty of general admission tickets at \$1. You'll get your money's worth and you can take it straight from a convict—every cent made on the 17th Annual Prison Rodeo goes for a worthy cause. It is spent for our very own education and recreation.

### Dads' Day Is Planned For Texas U, Oct. 16

"Dad's Day" will be observed at the University of Texas October 16.

Prizes will be given the day who has the most children in the University; the oldest dad, and youngest dad, and the one who comes farthest to the celebration.

The dean of student life office, with the aid of service organizations including the Cowboys, Alpha Phi Omega, Silver Spurs, Orange Jackets, and Muttar Board, are planning events for the day. A get-acquainted hour will be held from 9:00 to 10:00 a m in the Texas Union, and coffee will be served from 10:00 to 10:45 a m in the cafeteria. Climax of the day will be attendance at the University of Texas-Arkansas football game.



An umpire has his ups and downs, as shown in this novel Speed Graphic shot made at Briggs Stadium, Detroit. The runner was safe but the first baseman, in covering the bag, accidentally knocked over the umpire. Photographer Monroe Stroecker used a special camera focusing device that can be adjusted rapidly to follow the fast-moving play.

### World Cotton Production to Catch Up With Consumption; Price May Go Down

World production of cotton this year will equal if not exceed consumption, Dr. A B Cox, University of Texas professor of cotton marketing, reported.

This should be a signal to cotton growers to readjust their farming operations to a relatively lower price level for cotton. Fortunately for the United States most of the increase in supply is a result of a record yield per acre which has generally served to lower cost of production.

The world demand for cotton is very large provided the people of the world have the means to buy. There are two sources of buying power for cotton at the present time: the exchange of goods and services and the policy of the federal government to help finance the recovery.

#### PENNYS ARE GUESTS.

Mr and Mrs Thomas Penny Jr., and little daughter, Barbara Jean, are guests this week of Penny's parents, Mr and Mrs T A Penny of Hamlin. Penny recently completed basic training at Fort Ord, California, and is being transferred to Camp Kilmer, New Jersey. From there he will be sent to Germany for occupation duty.

of the war-torn countries, especially in Europe. The aggressive use of the opportunities offered by those two sources of demand could result in the export this cotton year of raw cotton and cotton goods to the equivalent to 4,000,000 bales of cotton.

The cotton balance sheet shows an increase in balance September 1 this year over last year of 3,080,000 bales. During the past 15 years the cotton balance September 1 has exceeded the present balance of 17,040,000 bales 11 times.

The present supply of American cotton is not burdensome provided proper merchandising policies are followed.

### Katy Carloadings Continue Up Trend

Carloadings on the Katy Railroad are continuing their upward swing, it was reported this week.

For the week ending October 2, 1948, a total of 7,184 cars were loaded.

Mrs A G Jackson went to Lubbock Tuesday to be a guest of her parents.

### Campaign Planned by GOP Candidate Porter

A statewide campaign, designed to take his candidacy into every section of Texas, is planned by Jack Porter, Republican candidate for United States Senate, it was announced this week.

Porter, a native of Weatherford, is a former member of the Democratic party. He is stressing his belief in states' rights as part of his platform.

Dr and Mrs Don Gould attended the Jones and Taylor County Chiropractors meeting in Hamlin Tuesday evening. The meeting was in the home of Dr W R C Allan.

Frank Albert Tucker spent Saturday night and Sunday in Abilene as a guest of relatives.

Mr and Mrs E T Simonton and daughter Beverly Ann, spent the week-end as guests of Mr and Mrs T A Penny in Hamlin.

#### BANK HAS HOLIDAY.

The Farmers & Merchants National Bank of Hamlin observed Tuesday, October 12 as a holiday in honor of Columbus' discovery of America. The bank was closed all day.

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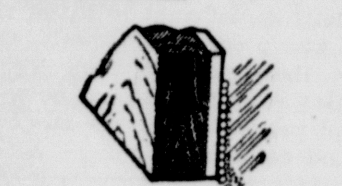
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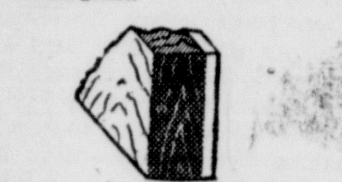
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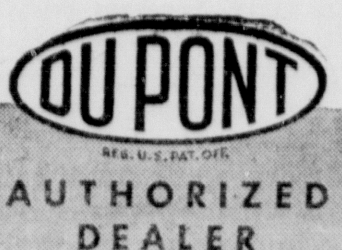
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## Mrs. D. J. Turner Is Honored With Luncheon on Birthday Anniversary

Members of the Dorcus Sunday School class of the First Baptist Church honored Mrs. D. J. Turner, Sr., with a luncheon on her birthday anniversary last Tuesday when they met in the Turner home at 1:00 o'clock.

After a prayer by Mrs. Joe Simpson, a corsage of tiny Sweetheart roses was pinned on the honoree by Mrs. Etta Stephenson, teacher of the class.

A huge birthday cake, decorated with pink and green roses, one rose for Mrs. Turner and one for each of her children, was presented by Mrs. L. S. McGee. Across the top of the cake were the words "Happy Birthday Stella." The group then joined in singing Happy Birthday to You.

Following the lunch the guests gathered in the living room, which had been decorated with pots of ivy, pink carnations and pink and red rose bus. A devotional was given by Mrs. M. P. May on the theme, "She Did What She Could." Following the devotional the guests sang "Blest Be the Tie That Binds."

Mrs. J. G. Smith gave a reading, "A Woman that is Loved." Mrs. W. B. Boyd, president of the Dorcus class, presented the gifts, after which Mrs. Joe Simpson gave a talk on Love, Friendship, and Spiritual Inspiration.

Following a prayer by Mrs. W. L. Boyd the group was dismissed by singing "God Be With You Till We Meet Again."

Invited guests were: Mrs. Nettie B. Williams, daughter of Mrs. Turner, Mrs. Joe Simpson, Mrs. Fred B. Moore Sr., and Mrs. Carl Greenway.

Honorary class members present were: Mrs. M. P. May and Mrs. W. L. Boyd.

Regular members of the class present were: Mrs. Etta Stephenson, Mrs. L. S. McGee, Mrs. Mattie Bruner, Mrs. L. V. Cathern, Mrs. D. L. Bristow, Mrs. Wade Davis, Mrs. N. E. Money, Mrs. Minnie Cooper, Mrs. W. B. Boyd, Mrs. Annie Sherry, Mrs. Martha Music, Mrs. J. G. Smith, Mrs. J. M. McGough, Mrs. Joe B. Miller and the honoree, Mrs. Turner.

## WSCS Group Studied Alaska Last Monday

In a program led by Mrs. Brad Rowland, the Women's Society for Christian Service of the Hamlin Methodist Church, studied Alaska in their meeting last Monday.

A large map of Alaska, showing where Methodist missions are located, was used to illustrate the work being done in the territory.

The meeting was held in the Methodist parsonage with Mrs. Jim Mills and Mrs. Lewis Madden as hostesses.

On the program were: Mrs. D. W. Carlton, Mrs. W. B. Cotten and Mrs. A. A. Hackley.

Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served to the members and three visitors, Mrs. Carl Murrell, Mrs. Elmer Teague and Mrs. Bob Harwell.

## Officers Are Named For Baptist Class

Organization of the 14-year-old girls class of the First Baptist Sunday School was effected Sunday when members of the group elected officers, and chose a name.

Name selected for the class is "Always Ready," and the class song is "Ready." The aim and goal of the group is "To enter every door of service for the Lord."

Teacher of the class is Mrs. M. P. May, and officers chosen are: Jerry Lee, president; Mary Lee Rowland, vice president; June Carter, secretary-treasurer; Adele Altum, assistant secretary, and Corena Burk, reporter.

The class invites all girls of their age, who are not attending Sunday School to become members of the group.

## T.E.L. Class Met for Social and Business

Members of the T. E. L. Class of the First Baptist Sunday school met in the home of Mrs. W. R. Terry last week for their regular monthly business and social gathering.

A covered dish luncheon was served to 18 members present. Following a short business meeting the social was held.

Mrs. Bowen Pope led the opening prayer and Mrs. H. O. Cassle gave the devotional. The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. W. W. Green in November.

Present for the meeting were: Mrs. Mary Jones, Mrs. Mattie Dutton, Mrs. Myrtis Johnson, Mrs. Lura Graham, Mrs. Georgia Hines, Mrs. Katy Green, Mrs. Jud Prather, Mrs. Esther Carmichael, Mrs. Reba Ferguson, Mrs. Vane Boyd, Mrs. Myrtle Williams, Mrs. Maud Wallace, Mrs. Linia Pollard, Mrs. Oma Cassle, Mrs. Ruby Weir, Mrs. Linda Terry, Mrs. Leslie Pope and Mrs. Lura Howard.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Eysen spent Thursday and Friday of last week in Fort Worth.

## Too Late to Classify

FOR TRADE—90 acres, all cultivated, on school bus and mail route, also on REA line. No improvements. Trade for helpers or good young cows.—Willis Walker, Turkey, Texas. 1p

WHEAT FOR SALE—I have several hundred bushels of Black Hull wheat. This wheat made 14 bushels per acre this year. It has been cleaned, \$3 per bushel. E. C. Davis farm, 10 miles northeast of Hamlin.—Doc Neal. 50-3p

FOR RENT—Four-room house, unfurnished; south part of town.—R. P. Jackson. 1p

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## Hamlin Births

To Mr and Mrs Jim Irwin, a daughter, October 11, in Hamlin Memorial Hospital. The child has been named Andrea Celeste.

Mr and Mrs Tate May went to Abilene Wednesday afternoon to attend dedication ceremonies for the Hunter Memorial Hall at Hardin-Simmons University.

Mr and Mrs Jack White went to Comanche Sunday to be with White's mother, who is seriously ill.

## FOR SALE

WHEAT SEED—re-cleaned Wichita, \$3.00 bushel. F-20 FARMALL, new motor overhaul; two row equipment, \$975.

NEW GRAIN box attachment for John Deere 10 disc, one way \$75. 10-foot tandem disc, like new, \$195. Hammer mill 10-C International with feed conveyor A-1 throughout \$125.

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FOR SALE—Seven room house with bath; furnished. All hard wood floors. Across from Elementary School.—See W. Wallace or call 439. 50-tfc

FOR SALE—75 pound ice box; 100 pound ice box; price \$20 and \$25.—King's Supply. 49-tfc

FOR SALE—Eight-piece dining room suite.—Mrs. John Walton, phone 535-W. 1p

FOR SALE—26-inch boys' bicycle in good condition. Mrs. W. C. Hoff, phone 9014F2. 50-1p

FOR SALE—Second hand baby buggy and bassinette. Call J. C. Scott, 562. 50-1p.

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WANTED—Farm and ranch hand. Furnished house; butane gas, electricity. Prefer man with family. \$100 month salary.—Tarleton Williamson, Hamlin. 49-2p

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### CARD OF THANKS

We want to express our sincere thanks and appreciation to the people of Hamlin and surrounding area for their kindness during the illness and death of our beloved father, John Ferguson. We deeply appreciate the beautiful flowers, and the words of comfort in our bereavement.—James Ferguson and family, S. C. Ferguson and family, Charles Ferguson and family, L. O. Ferguson and family. 1p

LOST—Pink plastic from eye glasses; reward.—Susanne Hudson. 1c

WANTED—Full or part time work. Experienced as sales clerk, waitress and bookkeeper.—Mrs. Clardy, phone 354-W. 1c

### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our many friends and relatives for the beautiful flowers and kind words and deeds, shown during the illness and death of our loved one, husband, father, and grandfather, J. A. Lee. Especially do we want to thank the ladies who prepared the meals, also doctor Haag and Brother Nunn. May God's richest blessings be with each of you in our prayer.—Mrs. J. A. Lee and children. 1p

### CARD OF THANKS

We want to express our heartfelt thanks to the many friends who have sent cards, letters, flowers and gifts to our grandmother, Mrs. J. C. Blanton, who is ill in our home. She celebrated her 90th birthday Friday. Thanks to all who have contributed to making her happy.—Mrs. Era Teague and family. 1p

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### ● Real Estate For Sale

FOR SALE—Two four-room houses and one chicken house to be moved immediately. Houses are old, \$750. for all.—J. B. Terrell Jr. 45-tfc

FOR SALE—50x140 foot lot with east front.—Frank Williams, phone 428. 1p

FOR SALE—Four-room house and lot.—Onis Crawford. 44-tfc

FOR SALE—Good catclaw sandy land farm, five miles east of Rotan on highway plenty of water, electricity; farm well terraced; four-room house. Price \$100 an acre; terms if desired.—Tarleton Williamson, Hamlin. 49-3p

### ● For Rent

FOR RENT—Magnetic vacuum cleaner, all attachments, \$1 per day.—White Auto Store. 3-tfc

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FOR RENT—Bedroom; private entrance.—C. C. Prater, phone 156-W. 1p

FOR RENT—Bedroom; private entrance; adjoining bath.—Phone 354-W. 1c

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## Nintieth Birthday Anniversary Is Celebrated by Mrs. J. C. Blanton

With relatives and friends visiting at her bedside throughout the day, Mrs. J. C. Blanton, well known resident of Hamlin, celebrated her 90th birthday anniversary in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oran Teague in the New Hope community last Friday.

A pink and white birthday cake bearing the words "Happy Birthday, Blanton" was the center of attraction. The cake was held at the bedside of Mrs. Blanton while guests joined in singing "Happy Birthday."

The cake was served with punch and candy. Tiny vases holding thank-you cards served as plate favors.

Mrs. Blanton expressed gratitude to the Home Department of the Hamlin Methodist Church and to the Calvary Baptist Church of Hamlin and the New Hope Home Demonstration Club for the many letters, cards and flowers she has received.

Born in Wise County, in 1858, Mrs. Blanton moved to Bell County to attend school. Later she moved to Williamson County.

Married at the age of 15 in George town, she came to Jones County with her husband more than 50 years ago. For the past 35 years she has lived in Hamlin. She became a member of the Methodist Church at the age of 20.

Three children were born to Mr. and Mrs. Blanton, and only one, a son, C. R. Blanton of Cimarron, Kansas, survives. He was present for the celebration. Her other two children were daughters.

Mr. and Mrs. Blanton are among the earliest residents of Hamlin, and settled here when Hamlin was a very small community.

Mr. Blanton died in 1920, and since that time his widow has been making her home here and with Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Teague of near Stamford. Mrs. Teague is one of three grandchildren of the aged woman. The other two are Mrs. C. A. McCullough of Kansas City, Kansas, and Marvin Bridges of Espanola, New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bryan spent several days last week at Possum Kingdom on a fishing trip.

Mrs. H. A. McWright of Hamlin, Mr. and Mrs. Milford Kincaid of Los Angeles and Mrs. Johnnie Gray of Black are guests this week of Mrs. McWright's sister, Mrs. Roy Gilbreath and her son, Aubrey Kincaid, in Corpus Christi.

## Social Given for Baptist Class Monday

A social and business meeting for members of the Business Women's class of the First Baptist Sunday School was given in the home of Mrs. Austin Poe Monday evening.

The meeting was opened with a devotional, following which business was transacted.

Mrs. Ruby McMahon, chairman of the nominating committee, reported the following nominations: Mrs. Austin Poe president; Mrs. B. H. Briscoe, first vice president; Mrs. Ruby McMahon, second vice president; Mrs. Jessie Jackson, third vice president; Miss Nettie Bowen, secretary-treasurer; Miss Vida Avants, assistant secretary; and Mrs. Euell Carter, reporter. The officers were elected by acclamation.

Mrs. Vera Nobles was named the teacher of the class and Miss Elma Greenway was elected assistant teacher.

Mrs. Jimmy Simmons was given a sterling baby fork and spoon by the class.

Refreshments were served to: Mrs. Nobles, Mrs. Simmons, Mrs. Briscoe, Mrs. Jackson, Mrs. Crickett Fomby, Miss Greenway, Mrs. McMahon, Miss May Gay, Miss Llorene Cornett, Miss Nettie Bowen, Miss Avants and Miss Willie B. White.

## Ruth Bible Class Had Party in Russell Home

Members of the Ruth Sunday School class of the First Baptist Church were entertained with an outdoor party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Russell last Tuesday. Mrs. Russell and Mrs. C. J. Whaley were hostesses.

A picnic supper was served, following which games were played and moving pictures were shown by Clyde Angel.

Guests present were: Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Turner, Mr. and Mrs. Garland Preston, Mr. and Mrs. Lovel Stell, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Morton, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Shelburne, Mr. and Mrs.

## Family Reunion Event In Hudson Home Here

A family reunion in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Hudson in Hamlin Sunday was the first time all members of the family had been together for 10 years.

Forty-six people attended the occasion, when a buffet lunch was served at noon.

Those present were: Jack Hudson and family, San Antonio; Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Morrison and family of Ballinger; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Walker of Midland; Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Walraven and son of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. John Griffin and family of Merkel; Mr. and Mrs. Shepp Walker and family and Mr. and Mrs. Jean Cadenhead, all of Vernon; Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hastings of Haskell; Mrs. Morris Wright and sons of Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. Ester Hastings and daughter; Roy and John Melvin Hudson and Jim Johnson, all of Hamlin.

## Gleaners Class Met In Paul Gentry Home

Members of the Gleaners Sunday School class of the First Baptist Church met in the home of Mrs. Paul Gentry Tuesday night for their monthly business session and social.

The business meeting was conducted by Mrs. Gentry, president. She announced a class picnic for Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. H. R. Treadwell. A committee was named to purchase a scrap book for the class.

Following the business meeting games were played, led by Mrs. Bill Shira and Mrs. Treadwell.

Refreshments of sandwiches, olives, fruit, cup cakes and hot chocolate were served to Mrs. George Poe, Mrs. Bill Shira, Mrs. J. Robertson, Mrs. Fred B. Moore Jr., Mrs. Marvin Carlton, Mrs. LaRoy Stubbs, Mrs. J. E. McCoy, Mrs. Albert Hill, Mrs. Gentry, and the teacher, Mrs. Treadwell.

Eugene Eaton, Mr. and Mrs. Joe League, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Meeks, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Sellers, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Treadwell, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Angel, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Russell, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Whaley, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Russell and Mr. and Mrs. Tate May.

## Charlotte Carson, Polio Patient, Celebrated 10th Birthday Saturday

Charlotte Carson had a birthday party last week to celebrate her 10th birthday anniversary. That fact wouldn't be unusual, except for the fact that the celebration took place in the polio ward of Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene where Charlotte has been a patient for almost two months.

Charlotte, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Carson of Hamlin, became ill in August and was taken to the polio ward where she is slowly recovering.

Three other little girls, also patients in the polio ward, attended the party, and other guests were Charlotte's parents and her younger sister, Marsha. The three polio patients guests were Betty Lancaster, Tulla Mae Webb and Jean Posey.

Cake and fruit juice were served as refreshments, and Charlotte exhibited her birthday gifts proudly to her guests.

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## Dangers From Fires in Winter Time Are Cited by State Fire Commissioner

"Carelessness is not really the cause of fires," Marvin Hall, State Fire Insurance Commissioner, said this week.

"It's not that a person doesn't care if he burns his house down or injures himself or others; it's that he is ignorant of or indifferent to dangerous practices that cause fires."

Ninety per cent of our fires are needless and could be prevented, he continued. This 90 per cent is generally considered to be caused by carelessness, when in the strict sense of the term, they are not.

"People who have needless fires either do not know of an existing fire hazard or they just don't believe it can happen to them," Hall said.

The \$22,000,000 fire loss in Texas last year proved that it does happen to thousands of people. Losses in 1947 were the highest in the history of this state and they are climbing higher this year, nearly reaching the \$15,000,000 mark through the month of August.

Information on fire prevention can usually be obtained at city or county libraries, and local fire departments will inspect houses or places of business free, the commissioner suggested. Fire Marshals will talk with individuals or groups to tell them home to prevent fires.

"Fire prevention is an individual responsibility," he emphasized. "We can't let 'George' do it for us. Fire Prevention Week, which just ended, is an excellent time to start a personal year round prevention program at home and at work."

Urging housewives to prepare now for the fire dangerous months, Hall named a few special fire safety tips for Texas housewives to keep in

mind while making their fall check-ups:

1. Have all gas stoves connected with solid piping and if leaking gas is noticed, call the gas company. Protect woodwork around or under gas heaters. Be sure heaters are a safe distance from curtains or towel racks.

2. By all means rake up all the dead leaves on your premises but bury them—don't burn them—in your flower beds. Buried leaves enrich the soil and create no fire hazard.

3. Never use gasoline, benzene, naphtha or similar volatile flammable liquids for cleaning purposes. Use an approved solvent for removing spots from clothes. Send to the dry cleaners any clothes needing extensive cleaning.

4. If the wiring system of the house is to be extended, call a professional electrician and have the job done right. Cords to portable electric appliances should be as short as possible. Replace those that have become the least worn or frayed.

5. Keep matches in metal containers and out of reach of small children. Be sure matches and cigarettes are out before discarding them. Don't smoke in bed.

### IN ROBY HOSPITAL

Mrs W J Majors of Hamlin underwent a surgical operation in the Roby Hospital last week. Mrs A J Ford of Sylvester, also had surgery in the Roby institution.

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## COTTON OF THE MONTH



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## Oil Men Take Part in H-SU Dorm Service

Oilmen from all parts of the nation converged on Abilene this week to participate in dedication ceremonies for the Hunter Memorial dormitory, in honor of the late Judge J C Hunter, former president of the Mid-Continent Oil Association.

Feature of the occasion was an address by Eugene Holman, president of the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey, and a former student in Hardin-Simmons.

The dormitory, which was erected several years ago, was recently paid out of debt by gifts from the oil men as a tribute to the memory of Hunter.

### GLEE CLUB PROGRAM

The Glee Club of Hamlin High School presented a program of musical numbers in the High School auditorium last Friday. Mrs Mart Farrow directed the 30-minute program, which included patriotic, semi-classic and popular music.



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## Strong Demand in Cotton Market Is Price Stimulant

Good demand stirred up more trading in Southwest cotton last week than the basic markets have reported in sometime to USDA's Production and Marketing Administration.

Sales at Dallas more than doubled those of the previous week at 86,446 bales. Also, Houston-Galveston sales ran 18 per cent larger. Total sales at the three markets topped 126,000 bales, about 23 per cent larger than the corresponding week last year.

Prices moved within a narrow range last week and averaged somewhat higher than during the corresponding week last year. The basis weakened in the Dallas market but held steady in Houston and Galveston.

Domestic mill demand continued to be fairly active for forward shipments. Also, export demand was good for low middling through strict middling ranging in staple 7-8 inch through 1-1.32 inch.

Cotton picking and ginning made good progress as dry open weather prevailed in all sections. Cotton ginned in Texas through September 30 averaged the acre in grade and staple as last year while that ginned in Oklahoma averaged higher in grade and longer in staple.

Cottonseed prices declined \$4.40 per bale in Texas last week with farmers receiving an average price of \$64.40. In Oklahoma, farmers received the same as the previous week, an average of \$66.60 for the state. Grades of cottonseed in both states averaged higher last week than the week before.

More cotton pickers were needed in West Texas.

## Vernell Miller One of 1680 Students in ACC

Miss Vernell Miller, daughter of Mr and Mrs L V Miller of Hamlin is one of the 1,680 students enrolled in Abilene Christian College for the fall semester, it was announced this week by the registrar.

In addition to the resident enrollment, 36 students are taking correspondence courses and 263 are in the demonstration school, making a total enrollment of 2,279 for the term.

## Willingham's Steer Wins Third at Fair

A shorthorn steer, exhibited by Jack Willingham of Hamlin, was awarded third place in its class at the Texas State Fair in Dallas last week.

The steer was shown in the short-

horn class over 1,000 pounds, according to C E Yeager, publicity director for the fair. Willingham, who exhibited in the Junior Steer Show, was awarded \$20.

Bill Roach returned recently from Stamford where he was a patient in the Stamford Hospital for several

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## Aid for Crippled Children Is Offered By State Health Department of Texas

In an effort to familiarize every person in Texas with the services offered by the Crippled Children's Division of the State Health Department, Dr. George W. Cox, state health officer has released the following statement:

Every crippled child in Texas, under 21 years of age, and of normal mentality whose parents are unable to pay for needed care, is entitled to assistance from this Division.

Crippling conditions which may be treated are: infantile paralysis, osteomyelitis, club feet, harelip, and cleft palate, burns, curvature of the spine, arthritis, bow legs, rickets, tuberculosis of the bone, flat feet, congenitally dislocated hip, muscular dystrophy, supernumerary fingers and toes, wry neck, elephantiasis, spina bifida, brachial palsy, Pott's Disease, congenital anomalies, spina-dylesthesia, amputation, webb fingers, epiphysitis and sarcoma.

Assistance may be obtained by applying to the Crippled Children's Division, Texas State Department of Health, Austin, or by placing an

application through an established city or county health unit.

Full information about local groups and organizations throughout the state who are anxious to assist crippled children to establish their eligibility and receive proper care, may be had by writing for a pamphlet, "Handbook on Agencies," Address Crippled Children's Division, State Department of Health, Austin 2, Texas.

### ACC BAND MARCHES.

The Abilene Christian College band, enroute to Rotan, where it played for the Callan celebration, paraded down Central Avenue in Hamlin last Friday and played several selections. Smartly attired in uniforms, the band drew a large crowd of Hamlinites.



## Abilene Music Group Opens Annual Drive

Annual membership campaign of the Civic Music Association of Abilene is being conducted this week from headquarters in the Woten Hotel. Joe C. Benson, president of the association, announced.

The association is a non-profit, cooperative organization which brings concert artists to Abilene for programs. Admission to the concerts is by membership card only, and payment of the annual fee entitles one to a card. The membership privilege will close for the year after Saturday, October 16, Benson said.

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## Veterans' News

The questions and answers below about veteran problems are carried as a service to former service connected personnel by The Herald. Material for the column is supplied by the area office of the Veterans Administration at Lubbock.

**Q.—If I attend summer sessions at the college where I am enrolled under the education benefits of the GI Bill, do I need a supplemental certificate of eligibility?**

**A.—No.** The only time you need a supplemental VA certificate of eligibility to attend summer school is when you transfer to another school for the summer term.

**Q.—I am a U. S. citizen and have received war service gratuity and re-establishment of credit benefits from the Canadian government. Am I entitled to loan benefits under the GI Bill?**

**A.—Veterans Administration has**

ruled that the loan benefits under the servicemen's readjustment act are neither the same nor similar to the "war service gratuity" and the "re-establishment credit" apparatus paid you in cash by the Canadian government. Therefore, you are entitled to a loan guaranty if you are otherwise qualified.

**Q.—Five of us veterans of World War II have incorporated and are operating a business. Can each of us file a claim for readjustment allowance as self employed?**

**A.—No.** A veterans Administration decision held that none of the veterans connected with a corporation can be regarded as self-employed within the meaning of Public Law 346 (GI Bill).

**Q.—If I apply for hospitalization, how long will I have to wait before I am admitted to a VA hospital?**

**A.—If you have a service connected disability you do not have to wait to receive hospitalization. If your disability is non-service connected but is an emergency, you are admitted immediately. Non-service connected ailments that do not require emergency treatment have to wait until a bed is available, and the time varies at each hospital. Non-service connected veterans also must sign statements that they cannot afford to pay for treatment elsewhere.**

**Q.—May I go to my own doctor for treatment of my disability and have Veterans Administration pay the bill?**

**A.—Only if you receive prior VA approval for such treatment or cure. Approval is based on the following conditions: (1) You must have a service connected disability; (2) VA must not be able to provide the regional office having jurisdiction treatment in its own hospitals or over the area.**

### CAR WIRING BURNS.

Fire which broke out in the wiring of an automobile on the Rotan highway last Saturday afternoon caused a run of the Hamlin Fire Department. Little damage was done to the automobile, firemen reported.

emergency cases, a veteran may apply to the nearest physician and have the physician notify the VA clinics; (3) travel to a VA station the regional office having jurisdiction over the area.

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<b>Catsup</b>	Red Hill Tomato	13 1/2-Oz. Bot.	15¢
<b>Soup</b>	Campbell's Vegetable	2 No. 1 Cans	27¢
<b>Swift Prem</b>	Luncheon Meat	12-Oz. Can	45¢

<b>Apple Butter</b>	Bama	25-Oz. Jar	19¢
<b>Peanut Butter</b>	Roast	15-Oz. Jar	33¢
<b>Salad Dressing</b>	Cascade	15-Oz. Jar	29¢
<b>Golden Corn</b>	Gardenside Cream Style	No. 2 Can	17¢
<b>Green Beans</b>	Gardenside Cut, Green	No. 2 Can	29¢
<b>Sweet Peas</b>	Gardenside Standard	No. 2 Can	12¢
<b>Tomatoes</b>	Risk Standard	No. 1 Can	25¢
<b>Pork &amp; Beans</b>	Western Gold	15-Oz. Can	10¢
<b>Plain Chili</b>	Delgados	No. 1 1/2 Can	39¢
<b>Tamales</b>	Delgados	17 1/2-Oz. Can	21¢
<b>Vienna Sausage</b>	Leads	No. 1 1/2 Can	17¢
<b>Gerbers Meats</b>	Assid.	Reg. Can	19¢
<b>Cherub Milk</b>	Evaporated	3 Tall Cans	42¢
<b>Rice</b>	Blue Peacock	2-Lb. Pkg.	27¢
<b>Airway Coffee</b>		1-Lb. Pkg.	39¢
<b>Edwards Coffee</b>	Top Quality	1-Lb. Can	47¢
<b>Shortening</b>	Swift Jewel	3-Lb. Ctn.	93¢
<b>Margarine</b>	Sun Valley	1-Lb. Pkg.	31¢
<b>Cheese</b>	Wisconsin Sharp Cheddar, 4-Lb. Wedges	Lb.	69¢
<b>Cheese</b>	Wisconsin Mild Cheddar, 4-Lb. Wedges	Lb.	59¢
<b>Fresh Eggs</b>	Morning Star, Large and Medium, Mixed	Doe.	64¢
<b>Fresh Eggs</b>	Twelve Grand, Mixed Sizes and Colors	Doe.	57¢
<b>Jell-Well</b>	Assorted Desserts	3 Reg. Pkgs.	19¢

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<b>White Meal</b>	Premium	5-Lb. Bag	39¢
<b>Bread</b>	Mrs. Wright's Extra Tender	24-Oz. Loaf	18¢
<b>Crackers</b>	Sunshine Krispy	1-Lb. Pkg.	25¢
<b>Flour</b>	Kitchen Craft Top Quality, Home Type	10-Lb. Bag	85¢
<b>Flour</b>	Pillsbury's	10-Lb. Bag	85¢

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<b>Lifebuoy</b>	Health Soap	Reg. Bar	9¢
<b>Oxydol</b>	Granulated Soap	Large Pkg.	33¢
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<b>Pork Liver</b>	Fresh Sliced	Lb.	43¢
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C. J. Drake visited with Mr. and Mrs. Gill Walker of Remney last Sunday.

Mrs. B. M. Brundage returned to Hamlin last week from Richmond, Washington, where she had been at the bedside of her daughter, Mrs. Ralph Worley, who was seriously ill. Mrs. Worley has recovered from her illness.



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## Rowland and Cowan to See Action in McMurtry Indian Contests in October

Brad Rowland, physical education major and Les Cowan, 235-pound, six foot five inch junior also a physical education major, members of the McMurtry Indian football squad, will probably see action in the two games being played in Abilene, beginning with the Abilene Christian College contest slated for October 23, and the Austin College tussle on October 30.

The Indians go to Kingsville this week-end to meet the Texas A&I eleven in a non-conference encounter, but will return to Abilene for a series of four conference games, three of which will be played in Abilene. The Southwestern University Pirates meets the Indians here on November 19, for the final conference tussle of the season for the Indians.

Fighting to regain a share of the top rung in the conference standings the Indians will meet the Abilene Christian Wildcats as a 1948 homecoming attraction. The following week-end the Tribe clashes with Austin College, with half time presentation of numerous high school bands performing in the third annual band-day exhibition staged by McMurtry College under the direction of Raymond T. Bynum, band director of McMurtry College. Les was one of the main figure-

## Girls Auxiliary Met For Program Monday

Members of the Intermediate Girls' Auxiliary of the First Baptist Church met for their regular program Monday afternoon, with nine members and the counsellor present.

Donna Gail Miller, president, was in charge of the program. Corena Burke was elected secretary in a brief business session, to replace Maurine Marshall, who has moved to San Angelo.

An interesting program on "Romance of Latin American Missions" was presented by Eleanor Hutchingson and Corena Burke.

heads in the last McMurtry fray, which found Les on the receiving end of a 50-yard pass that counted as a score but was recalled because of a penalty against McMurtry. Rowland has averaged seven and one-half yards per try in totaling 377 yards gained in the first four games played for McMurtry this season.



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## A VP FOR EVERY MILE...

### Hamlin's 14-Mile Railroad Is Given Attention In Dallas News Article

Hamlin's 14-mile railroad, the Hamlin-Northwestern, which extends from here to Flat Top near Abilene, was the subject for a story in the Dallas Morning News of October 12.

The story recounted the fact that the road has 14 vice presidents—one for each mile of trackage, including sidings and switches.

The complete story, as reprinted from the News, follows:

Homer W. Snowden, Dallas oil operator of 5002 Swiss, is a man of many enterprises, but the title of which he is proudest is that of president of one of the shortest standard-gauge railroads in the nation.

It is 10.2 miles long with 14 miles of track including sidings and it boasts a vice-president for every mile.

The road is known as the Hamlin-Northwestern Railroad and it extends from Hamlin to Flat Top, in Jones County, near Abilene.

A native Texan, Snowden is proud of his railroad and will issue an annual pass at the drop of

a 10-gallon hat. The neatly engraved passes point out, rather unnecessarily, that they are not valid on tourist cars.

There are no coaches on the Hamlin-Northwestern, only freight cars.

Mostly sand and gravel and cement are shipped over the line—Snowden owns the sand and gravel company.

The rolling stock consists of three light switch-engines of varying sizes and about 25 cars. Two engines are kept busy and a third is held in reserve for emergencies.

Not to be confused with a miniature railroad, the Hamlin-Northwestern has standard track and standard equipment and is listed in the Railway Guide. It has a machine shop and roundhouse, a depot and general offices at Flat Top.

But the home office, Snowden announces proudly, is at 6336 Richmond, otherwise occupied by the oilman's other far-flung enterprises, including a radio station. Some of his ventures may be more profitable, but there are none of which

he is prouder than the Hamlin-Northwestern.

But the railroad itself shows a nice profit. It employs a four-man section gang, a three-man train crew for each of its two trains, a station agent, a bookkeeper, and two executives—and, of course, the 14 honorary vice-presidents, one for each mile.

About 15 men are employed at the sand and gravel company whose executive vice president, C W Maddox of Abilene, and secretary-treasurer W M Blackburn, are also directors of the railroad.

Having 16 or 17 oil rigs going simultaneously is perhaps no handicap for a railroad president, even if the road is only 10.2 miles long. Permits for erection of three or four radio stations may divert Snowden from railroad interests, to say nothing of a real estate division he is contemplating.

"Would it be accurate," he was asked, "to describe you as a multimillionaire?"

Snowden smiled. "I've been called other things probably more accurate than that. Anyway, I do happen to have a good deal of property."

That is about as near to his financial status as the casual interviewer is able to get. Born near Mabank, Kaufman County, in what he calls Hog Pork country, Snow-

## TURNER STARS.

Earl Turner of Hamlin starred for the Texas A&I Javelinas in a game with Sam Houston Bearcats in Huntsville last Saturday night. Turner intercepted a pass and carried the ball over for a touchdown. He is a first year man and plays guard position.

den started in the grain business in 1928, entered the oil business in 1945.

By 1947 he had drilled 750 wells in Texas, Oklahoma, Louisiana and New Mexico.

A farm boy, Snowden started with very little capital.

"Is it true you started on a shoe string?" he was asked.

Snowden leaned back from a mahogany desk in his \$150,000 headquarters built last year.

"I didn't even have the shoe string," he said.

The railroad was bought last October 20. A few producing oil wells proved a help.

## Ferguson Rites Conducted Here Last Saturday

Final rites for John Ferguson, 83, were conducted in the First Baptist Church of Hamlin last Saturday afternoon, with Rev A R Posey, pastor, and Dr. Will C House, pastor of the Methodist Church, in charge.

Ferguson died in the Callan Hospital in Rotan Thursday night at 11:30. He had been in failing health for several months, and had been visiting a son, Charlie Ferguson, in McCaulley when he became seriously ill.

A resident of Jones County for 50 years, Ferguson had been engaged in farming and operating a gin until his retirement. He formerly owned the gin at Neinda. He was a member of the First Baptist Church in Hamlin.

He was born February 9, 1865 in

## Radio Shop Opened Here by Cecil Terrell

A radio repair shop was opened this week in the City Electric & Plumbing Shop, by Cecil Terrell.

Terrell has had many years of experience in radio repair and said he has installed the latest type of equipment. He will operate a pick-up and delivery service for radios.

Bradley, Tennessee. With his parents he moved to Texas in 1875. He was married to Toka Black, August 1883. Mr and Mrs Ferguson celebrated their 62nd wedding anniversary in August 1945, before Mrs. Ferguson died in December of that year.

Survivors are four sons, James Ferguson and S C Ferguson, both of Hamlin, Charlie Ferguson of McCaulley and L O Ferguson of Port Worth. In addition there are 11 grandchildren and nine great grandchildren.

Burial was conducted in the East Cemetery, directed by the Barrow Funeral Home.

## Mail Date Set on Christmas Gifts For Service Men

Christmas parcels for overseas service men and women must be mailed between October 15 and November 15 to assure delivery by Christmas, Perry Sparks, Hamlin postmaster, said this week.

Sparks said a communication from the Post Office Department urged early mailing of gifts for men in foreign countries, and indicated that the department will cooperate in getting the packages to the men on time.

A weight limit of 70 pounds has been set on any single package, and no firearms, intoxicants or inflammable materials may be sent.

Packages must be wrapped in regulation parcels, with strong wrappings, and must be securely tied, Sparks said.

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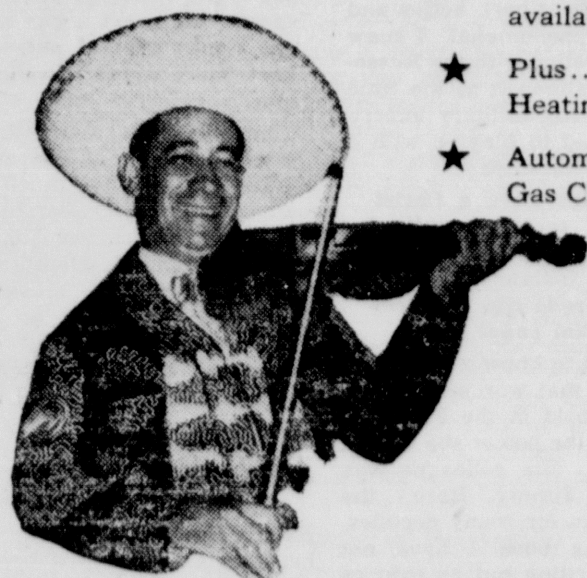
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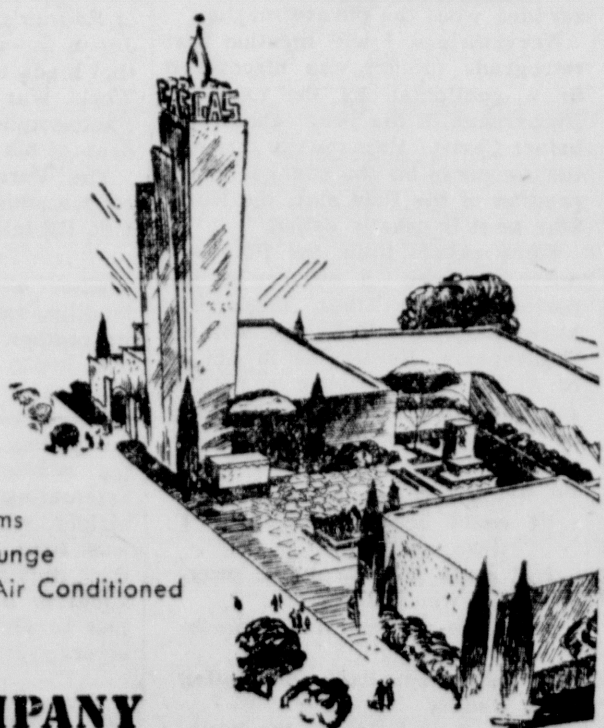


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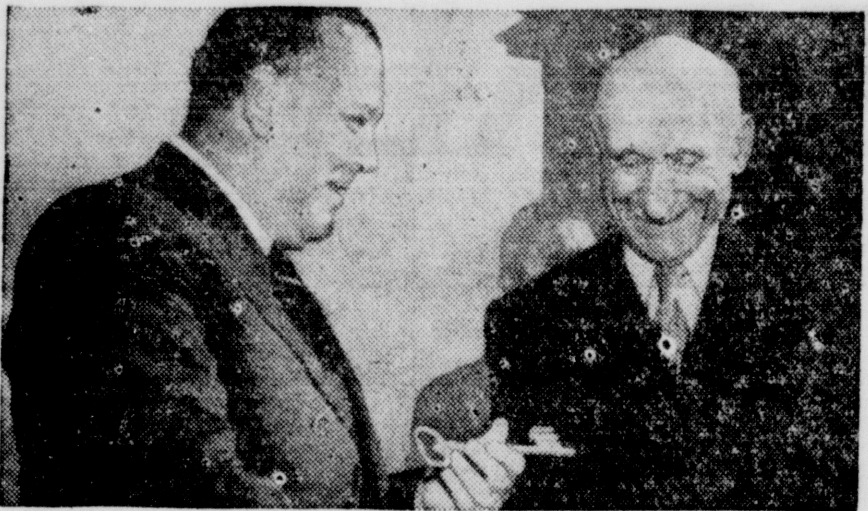


## WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

# 1948 Election Campaign Hits Stride As Democrats, GOP Vie for Labor; Soviets Aggravate Berlin Situation

By Bill Schoentgen, WNU Staff Writer

(EDITOR'S NOTE: When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of Western Newspaper Union's news analysis and not necessarily of this newspaper.)



**THE GOLDEN KEY . . .** Trygve Lie, secretary-general of the United Nations, beams as he accepts from former French Premier Robert Schuman a golden key as a symbol of France's temporary surrender of sovereignty over the Palais de Chaillot, where the U. N. general assembly opened on September 21. What treasures of peace that key might unlock this year is a question that gives pause to the entire world.

## CAMPAIGN:

## Trumpets Sounded

Politicians cleared their throats as with the sound of trumpets, and the 1948 presidential election campaign swept into motion.

The first skirmish between Democrats and Republicans featured President Truman and Harold E. Stassen, who carried the word of their respective parties into the great industrial area around Detroit.

**THAT INDICATED** that, for the time being at least, the pivotal factor directing the policies of both GOP and Democratic campaigns would be the labor vote.

To win the election this November Mr. Truman probably will need the same proportionate amount of the labor vote that turned out in favor of Roosevelt in the 1932, 1936 and 1940 campaigns. Whether he will get it is very much open to question at this stage.

## Truman

Launching his battle for re-election in the Detroit area over the Labor Day week-end, President Truman fired at will.

**AT GRAND RAPIDS**, Lansing, Detroit, Pontiac and Flint he exhorted all the "little people" of the U. S. to register and vote in the November 2 election.

If a heavy vote turns out, he insisted, not only will he be re-elected, but the Republican majority in congress will be replaced by a Democratic one.

**"IF YOU STAY** home next November and keep these reactionaries in power, you will deserve every blow you get and you can expect a barrage of body blows," said Mr. Truman. This was a repetition of an idea—that "you'll get what you deserve"—which he had expressed earlier in the year and which, at the time, was received with some animosity by the people to whom he addressed it.

"You can elect a reactionary administration and go into an era of fear, or you can elect a congress and an administration that stand ready to play fair with every element of American life and enter an era of new hope. We're in a hard, tough fight against shrewd, rich opponents. They don't count on your vote; they just don't want you to vote."

Judging from his Labor Day speeches, President Truman is planning to shape his campaign around these contentions:

1. **THAT THE MAIN** issue boils down to Republican special privileges as against Democratic concern for the little man.
2. **THAT THE "DO-NOTHING"** 80th congress, under GOP control, has done nothing to justify its reelection.
3. **THAT ANYTHING EXCEPT** an all-out vote by labor on election day "would be a betrayal by labor of its own interests."
4. **THAT IF THE MASS** of the nation's voters go to the polls on election day a Democratic victory is assured.

## Stassen

Just a step and a half behind Mr. Truman came Harold E. Stassen, striving valiantly to scatter the coals of the bonfire the President had kindled in Detroit.

Apparently blessed by Thomas E. Dewey, GOP presidential candidate, Stassen's speech in the motor city was billed as the official kickoff of the Republican campaign.

## Employment Record

The U. S. rounded the turn from summer to autumn with its civilian employment at the highest level in the history of the nation.

Approximately 61.5 million workers are employed, while the unemployed number only 2,227,000 as compared to more than 12 million during the gloomy depression years of the early 1930s. Personal prosperity now depends, however, on the impact of inflation.

## CABINET:

## Sil Vous Plait

They couldn't find a government in France. As a political situation that appeared slightly ludicrous from across the Atlantic, but Frenchmen were becoming sorely worried for fear that they had lost the ability or power to govern themselves.

**AFTER PREMIER** Andre Marie's cabinet fell, President Vincent Auriol appointed Robert Schuman as premier and gave him the usual instructions to form a cabinet.

Schuman duly gathered together an administrative body and then, 64 hours later, watched it fall apart when he was defeated on a technical proposal to postpone questioning of the new cabinet by the national assembly. In short, he failed to get the necessary vote of confidence.

Desperate by this time, President Auriol then named Henri Queuille, veteran Radical Socialist, to succeed Schuman.

**WHAT QUEUILLE** could do to produce some kind of order out of political confusion and economic travail no one knew. He is 64 years old, a little known political figure in France and was a wartime assistant of Gen. Charles DeGaulle.

The situation pointed up the alarmed belief, becoming more predominant in France, that no individual or group can command the working majority that will enable him to govern the nation successfully.

It is a paradox that the parties in the moderate center of the political scale in France can speak for less than 25 per cent of the people. General DeGaulle, on the right, commands 45 per cent of the vote, and Communist groups hold another 30 per cent.

Although the past few weeks have not been conducive to a coherent examination of the political situation in France, the principal trend seems to be toward a return of General DeGaulle and his right-wing beliefs to power.

## ANYTHING NEW Bloomin' Sage

That sagebrush is mighty pretty when it blooms purple, and the song writers can't be blamed for making something out of it.

But out West they hate that sage. It swathes nearly 96 million western acres in a tough, resistant blanket, and ranchers and federal range managers alike consider it an almost complete nuisance.

**THEY WANT TO REPLACE** the whole 96 million acres with nutritious grasses for cattle and sheep. Some of the sage would have to be retained to prevent erosion, but most of it could go.

They were talking about the problem of eliminating sagebrush at the annual meeting at Fort Collins, Colo., of the American Society of Agronomists and the Soil Science society.

Despite efforts to control or eradicate it, the sage continues to spread and probably covers a greater area now than before the pioneer settlers went West.

**MOST HOPEFUL** development is the new brush-land plow, 10 of which are being built for further trial. Also, congress will be asked next year to provide more money for range reseeding and improvement.

About five million acres of western range already have been reseeded. These pastures almost invariably carry more nutritious and abundant food for cattle than the original prairie, according to U. S. forest service officials. Animals make better gains on it.

**IN THE LONG RUN** that could mean more and cheaper meat.

## Lip Service



First frothy by-product of the fermentation of the 1948 presidential campaign is the "Dewey duster," a false, Deweyesque mustache to tickle the fancy of stiff-upper-lip Republicans. Soon to appear on store counters across the nation, the gadget consists of a bit of black chenille clipped to the upper lip in true-blue GOP style.

## POLIO:

### Mice Cured

Columbus university has announced the development of a new sulfa-type drug, called Darvisul, that cures one kind of infantile paralysis in mice and is also a successful preventive to the disease in mice.

Despite extensive tests during the past summer, it is still not known whether the new drug will prove effective against polio in human beings.



## Struggle in Senate

**ASIDE** from the battle for the presidency which, of course, is the major objective in the coming election, there is an ominous struggle of major proportions for control of the United States senate. For the facts are that, barring a landslide of the 1928 vintage, even should Gov. Thomas E. Dewey be elected to the White House, the Democratic party stands a good chance of capturing control of the senate.

Should this eventuality occur it would mean that the powerful senate committees

would pass from the control of the highly industrialized East and Midwest to the agricultural South and Far West. So industry and big business today are locked in a battle for this control with the agricultural South and the mineral - reclamation minded West. The field of battle is concentrated primarily in four states, West Virginia, Kentucky, Oklahoma and Wyoming, where it is conceded that Democrats have a good chance of unseating Republican senators. In addition, Senators C. Wayland Brooks of Illinois and Joe Ball of Minnesota are facing a fight for their political lives.

**Because of the fact that most Democratic senators up for reelection this year are more or less firmly entrenched and Democrats must gain only four seats to control the senate, both the Democratic and Republican national committees are pouring money into the four pivotal states in an effort to gain the coveted senate control.**

For instance, if the Democrats win four seats the only man from the North or Midwest in line for a chairmanship would be Sen. Robert F. Wagner of New York. However, since he is in such poor health, he might have to relinquish the post to Senator Maybank of South Carolina, next in line.

Agriculture and forestry would pass from Senator Aiken of Vermont to Elmer Thomas of Oklahoma since Capper of Kansas is retiring. Appropriations would go from Bridges of New Hampshire to McKellar of Tennessee; armed services from Gurney of South Dakota to Tydings of Maryland; finance from Millikan of Colorado to George of Georgia; foreign relations from Vandenberg of Michigan to Connally of Texas; interstate and foreign commerce from Tobey of New Hampshire to Johnson of Colorado since White of Maine is retiring; judiciary from Wiley of Wisconsin to McCarran of Nevada; labor from Taft of Ohio to Thomas of Utah; postoffice and civil service from Langer of North Dakota to O'Mahoney of Wyoming since Hatch of New Mexico is retiring; public works from Revercomb of West Virginia to Chavez of New Mexico, and rules and administration from Brooks of Illinois to Hayden of Arizona.

**The battle for senate control is one of powerful economic forces as well as political. Even should the Republicans win the senate there will be major changes in the powerful committees for there will be at least 10 freshmen senators in the upper chamber. For instance, Aiken of Vermont would succeed Capper of Kansas on agriculture; Ferguson of Michigan would succeed Aiken on expenditures in the executive department.**

**Revisions in House**

In the house, also, there will be important committee changes with at least 47 new house members even if Republicans make a clean sweep. Cooley of North Carolina would become ranking Democratic member on the house agricultural committee with the retirement of John Flannagan of Virginia. On education and labor, with retirement of Fred Hartley of New Jersey, Gerald Landis of Indiana would succeed if he is re-elected; if not, then Clare E. Hoffman of Michigan would step in. On armed services, Dewey Short of Missouri becomes ranking Republican on retirement of Chairman Walter G. Andrews of New York.

**Private power lobbyists** apparently have abandoned the fight against actual production of power by huge hydro-electric plants built by the government, realizing that only government can finance huge dams like Bonneville, Hoover and Grand Coulee and the dams in the TVA system.

**Labor and Politics**

Almost 16 million American voters belong to labor unions, which are playing an increasingly active role in elections. In the forthcoming campaign the CIO-PAC is concentrating on 123 congressional contests. The AFL league for political education is centering its attack in 158 congressional districts where incumbents were elected in 1946 with less than 60 per cent of the vote. Labor's batting average has been over .550 in previous elections.

# Washington Digest

## Autumn Offers Many Joys For the Faithful Beholder

By BAUKHAGE

News Analyst and Commentator.

WASHINGTON, D. C.—You are reading these lines, I trust, not too long after the autumnal equinox, which I hope you celebrated with the proper ceremonies.

The word equinox is Latin for "equal night" which implies equal day. All over the earth there is that kind of equality at this time.

Thus the Creator established equality of such nice perfection that neither the strongest telescope nor the most accurate micrometer can question it. Equality was something that had no measure of weight until the philosophers proclaimed it and until it was preached to the western world by a lowly carpenter's son of Nazareth.

We worked nearly 2,000 years before a political goal embodying this philosophy was written into the Constitution of a nation—the United States. It is an unachieved goal but one more nearly reached here than anywhere else in the world—fellow travelers to the contrary, notwithstanding.

Strangely enough, the one idea chiefly associated with equality of day and night—the equinox—has been proved utterly unfounded. For a long time it was generally accepted (and is still believed by many) that violent storms which were given the name, "equinoctial gales" are prevalent at this season.

Suppose you were to approach the 10 men—or twenty or thirty—who have spent the most time studying this particular subject, gathering all the records available, as long as authentic records have existed. If you asked them if it is true that there are especially bad storms at this time of year, they would answer (in carefully worded and virtually understandable sentences) "That is the bunk!"

At the equinox the sun is in the process of crossing the celestial equator. That is the circle parallel to our equator which, if expanded would touch the sun. The sun does this in the spring (vernal equinox) and in the fall (autumnal equinox). At this season, if you live in my neighborhood (or within several hundred miles thereof) you will heed this piece of advice in the Hagerstown (Md.) Almanack which says:

"The ravages of the tent caterpillars go unnoticed by many persons until the leaves are eaten from a tree. Naturally it makes extra work for the tree to produce another set of new leaves, which weakens the tree, and after a few years of this extra work, the tree is in danger of dying."

"The greatest natural enemy of the tent caterpillar is the common house wren. These are valuable birds to have in your gardens during the growing season."

And now after that piece of advice, which is not seasonal for my friends "down under" where the autumnal equinox heralds the coming of summer and not fall and winter, let us return to our meteorological mutter.

I will not become technical but I think it is just as well to get better acquainted with the phenomena, natural and otherwise, which surround us. There is no reason why, if one rises late in the night to let the cat in (or out) he need crack a shin on a chair, once he understands why and in what position his wife has moved it since he last noticed its location—and the stars are just celestial furniture.

**What Is This Thing 'Retrograde Motion'?**

There is a certain "retrograde motion" from east to west of the equinoctial points, which I won't go into in detail for several reasons, one being that I haven't the slightest idea what the phrase means.

Nevertheless, I will mention that retrograde motion was discovered by a gentleman by the name of Hipparchus in the year (about) 120 before Christ. Experts say this motion accounts for the changes in the position of the Pole star, the North Star as it is usually called.

Some people think the Pole star doesn't change. A number of important people since Hipparchus have thought so. Take one, William Shakespeare. Remember in Act III of Julius Caesar when a petition for repeal of the disenfranchisement of Publius Cimber is presented? Cassius drops to his knees to beg for the repeal but Caesar says:

"I could be well moved, if I were as you;  
If I could pray to move, prayers would move me;  
But I am constant as the north star,  
Of whose true fix'd and resting quality  
There is no fellow in the firmament,"

Although the special session of congress was mad at the President for calling them back, they gave the reading of his proclamation assembling them a tribute rare in history. They stood up while it was read. They got up because they thought the invocation was about to be made and they didn't like to sit down and reveal their error.

There may be a new King of Spain. Nice work if you can get away with it.

The skies are painted with unnumber'd sparks,  
They are all fire and every one doth shine,  
But there's but one in all doth hold his place . . ."

Perhaps Shakespeare had never read Hipparchus. (Some say he couldn't read but if so, where did he get his plots?) Anyhow, Hipparchus said, (and nobody has disproved his theory) that the position of the Pole star does change (from our viewpoint). One authority explains it this way:

"The pole of the earth is swinging slowly as if it were the axis of a top, or as if the earth, rotating, were a kind of gyroscope." The study of what is called the "precession of the equinoxes" (their moving backward in relation to the constellations) is fascinating. But I have no intention of reading a lecture on astronomy here—for several reasons, including the one mentioned before.

But I do want to mention some things which George Stimson (with whom I have just been talking) brought up. You remember George? He comes from Anamosa, Iowa, where he has just been spending a wonderful vacation with his mother who, at 77, does her own cooking because she likes it better (and, according to George, for good reasons) than anyone's else.

George, to whom most Washingtonians turn when they want the right answer, says that records for a period of 50 years show that there were actually fewer storms during the period between September 20 and 25 (which overlaps the equinox) than there were immediately preceding September 25. The same, he says, is true of the vernal equinox.

"The notion about equinoctial storms in one form or another," says George, "dates back to at least 1748 and probably originated among seafaring people."

All this information is in his "Book About a Thousand Things" and if I had thought to look it up first I wouldn't have interrupted him in his work on his book about a thousand (or more) things regarding American history which will be his next opus and which I'm willing to say in advance of publication is going to be good.

So much for the equinoxes, with whom, since we meet them twice a year, we ought to get better acquainted.

## Blackjack Pershing's Life and Times

Speaking of books, Col. Frederick Palmer sent me his latest book entitled "General John J. Pershing." It was written some time ago, recently brought up to date after Palmer's last interview with Pershing, but in accordance with the author's stipulation, was not published until after Pershing's death.

"It was not to be submitted to him or to appear in the light of an official biography or one authorized by his heirs."

This is stated in the foreword and Palmer elaborated on his attitude to me during a luncheon shortly before the book appeared.

Colonel Palmer is the elder statesman of the war correspondents. But years are of small account to him. He is pert, active and his memory is phenomenal. I knew of him in connection with the Russo-Japanese war although at the time of that conflict my military experience was limited to playing with a painted fleet of warships.

The warships were a Christmas present received while I was still building with blocks and shooting Indians with bows made of umbrella ribs and drilling in an infant cadet corps.

Later I came to know a colleague of Palmer's in that war which gave Japan the toe-hold in the Far East that made her the power she was in World War II. His colleague was Photographer Jimmy Hare, the dean of his clan for many decades. The Pershing book I have not read at this writing but as soon as I do I'll tell you about it.

What a wonderful three-point landing, said the little kangaroo to its mother.

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**W**HILE various promoters still are groping in the dark for a new heavyweight champion, with Joe Louis in possible retirement, there is a chance that the world soon will be cluttered up with ex-heavyweight stars. They make an interesting group:

That was a matter of 49 years ago that Jim Jeffries knocked out Bob Fitzsimmons.

The heavyweight champions followed in this order: Tommy Burns, Jack Johnson, Jess Willard, Jack Dempsey, Gene Tunney, Max Schmeling, Jack Sharkey, Primo Carnera, Max Baer, Jim Braddock and finally Louis.

**DEMPSEY** From this parade of 12 men, only Johnson is missing. And he was killed in a motor car accident. Jeffries is still alive—bale and rather hearty—and so are Burns, Willard, Dempsey, Tunney, Schmeling, Sharkey, Carnera, Baer, Braddock and Louis.

The span from Jeffries to Louis covers almost half a century, and to have 11 out of 12 ex-champions still inhabiting this planet is full proof they are a hardy lot.

Big Carnera still is wrestling, or giving imitations thereof, and Dempsey still is refereeing now and then. Jeffries has been running a boxing school and holding fight nights. Louis says he is through, but he still hasn't turned in any formal or official abdication.

## Still in Good Shape

Two men still in fine physical shape are Dempsey and Tunney. Both are now around 220 pounds, which could be a trifle lower, but they still look like ex-champions ought to look. At least they look as if they could handle most of the phony heavyweights I've seen around in the last few years.

It might also be mentioned that outside of Louis, the two old rivals are better fixed financially than any other heavyweight in history. Dempsey has one of the most beautiful homes in Los Angeles for his two daughters, while Tunney and his family never will have to worry about the next beefsteak and caviar.

I understand Sharkey isn't doing too badly, and I know Carnera has been mopping up in the weird and incredible wrestling game.

## A Memorable Group

Is it possible there could be any group more different than the 11 heavyweight champions still living? I doubt it. I'd like to see motion picture shorts made of their lives:

The big, burly bald-headed Jeffries—now over 70—the toughest of them all. He was an old man physically when he fought Johnson, who was far below Louis in all moral values—but a great fighter.

Burns—over 60—hooked in some odd philosophy of life.

Willard—a 260-pound giant—the least equipped of them all mentally. Just a guy who weighed 250 pounds. Ask Dempsey—and others.

Dempsey—a firebrand in his day, an ex-hobo. Babe Ruth's successor. Tough and rough in the ring. One of the few gentlemen I've known outside of the ring. The one colorful figure left in sport.

Dempsey, the killer, is also Dempsey who always thinks of the underdog and has given away more money to burns and has-beens than any two men in sports. As great a guy as anyone I ever met. I only wish I knew more words to write about him.

Tunney—the man who made himself. A man of character and intelligence. Not too much inclined towards popularity. Dempsey loved people; Tunney never did. Smart, keen, a man of indomitable will power. A man you must know to like, since he makes no effort to make new friends. But one who has written a great chapter in sport that will be remembered later on. Far up the ladder.

## Fill-Ins for Tunney

Schmeling, Sharkey, Carnera, Baer, Braddock. Here are five heavyweights that just happened to fill in after Tunney retired. Dempsey at his peak could have stopped them all in two rounds. Tunney could have chopped them into mincemeat.

Carnera was a clown. Sharkey was another might-have-been, who was never too smart in the ring. "I had Dempsey knocked out in the first round," he told me, "when I stopped to make an address to the crowd that had hooted me. Dempsey was on the ropes."

Now Louis. A great champion. A boxer and a puncher. Especially a puncher. Game, but no Dempsey at taking a punch. They all came along and knocked Louis down. I think Dempsey would have knocked him out.



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DEVOTIONAL READING: Psalms 119:129-136

**Faith: A Family Tradition**  
Lesson for September 26, 1948

HERE IS a brief Bible quiz: What Christian man did Paul recommend to the Philippians as the one completely unselfish person he knew? When Paul needed a man to present his ideas to a "problem church" whom did he send? When Paul wanted reliable information about a church, on whose report did he depend? Whom did Paul call "son" more often than any one else? The answer to all these questions is the same: Timothy.

Certainly a man whom the great Saint Paul found so congenial, so reliable, so unselfish and effective a Christian, is a man worth our careful attention. We ask this question about him: What made him what he was?

**Faith at Home**  
SOME MEN have to leave home to find faith. But perhaps the happiest Christians, certainly the most fortunate, are those who cannot remember what it was not to have faith. It was the atmosphere they breathed as children. The first people they knew were Christians, prayer and faith were taken for granted, the name of Christ was heard only in reverence and love, never in jest or anger.

Timothy grew up in such a home. When he became a mature, working Christian he had no wasted years to regret, no wild oats to pull up. The faith of his adult mind was not scarred by the acid remains of earlier doubt. Timothy's life was all of one piece. He was born to faith, he grew up in it.

Homes can do a great deal for the children who live in them. But nothing else—physical health, poise, culture, friends, ambition—nothing else is quite so valuable a gift or quite so lasting, as faith. In later years faith may have to be pounded into a person or shocked into him; but in childhood faith is woven in, welded in, and that is as it should be. Happy the Christian who does not have to turn his back on his childhood when he turns his face to Christ!

## Book of Wisdom

"RELIGION cannot be taught. It can only be caught," is an old saying. It is partly true, for you cannot set any dozen people at random down on a bench and teach them into faith. If teaching religion were as simple as that, then every Sunday school could guarantee that every one of its graduates would become a saint. Nevertheless, religion can partly be taught, for in a book there may be crystallized the faith of many a generation. A book may concentrate and preserve the insight, the inspiration, the assurance of men and women who though dead yet speak.

Living with books of faith is like living with many families of faith at the same time. Such a book is the Bible. And it was the Bible, or so much of it as had been written, the Old Testament, which was the one Book in Timothy's boyhood home. Through the Scriptures, the boy's mother taught her son not merely her own faith but that of many a generation before her time.

In our own day, parents may feel that they come too far short of being saints, so they hesitate about urging their perhaps dimly-felt religion on their children. Yet in our Bible there is open to all fathers and mothers a means of placing their children in an atmosphere of intense faith. Personal religious genius is rare, but even though you may be anything but a genius, you still can bring to your child the treasures of the Bible, product of the highest inspiration and insight the world has known.

## Women of the Family

TIMOTHY'S FATHER was a Greek, probably not a Christian. He and Timothy may never have understood each other. It was the women of the family who molded the boy's mind and heart, his mother, Eunice, and his grandmother, Lois.

It is always so. It is the women of a family who have most influence for faith or against it. The boy knows his mother before he knows anyone else. She teaches him to talk, he absorbs her attitudes and ideas even before he understands them. If father and mother differ in religion, it is likely that children will follow mother rather than father.

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## HOUSEHOLD MEMOS by Lynn Chambers



**Nourishing Boxed Lunches Are Hard to Resist**  
(See recipes below)

## Lunch Box Magic

WHILE THE YOUNGSTERS struggle with readin', writin' and 'rithmetic, mother frequently has her problems with the lunch boxes which she must fix for the family that toties its own.

The lunch box preparation is a steady grind now that school has started, and it's a wonder that more women don't go into the doldrums about it more often. You have to supply nourishment plus food appeal to keep the family happy with their meals out of a box, so here are ideas aplenty.

If you have several lunches to prepare, have jars of filling ready. All lunch box equipment can be kept handy on a tray so that you don't have to scurry around for waxed paper or a knife while you try making sandwiches in the midst of breakfast preparation and serving.

Leave butter or spread out the night before so that you can smooth it on immediately. Fruits can be washed, puddings made in advance, and relishes such as carrot and cucumber sticks and pickles can be wrapped in waxed paper ready to tuck in the box in the morning.

BE KIND to the budget and make the whole thing as simple as possible by making several jars of filling beforehand so they can be slicked on the sandwiches easily. Here are several ideas tailored to your needs.

**Special Sandwich Filling**  
2 hard-cooked eggs  
1 can pimiento  
1 small onion  
4 stalks celery  
Salt and pepper to taste  
2 packages cream cheese

Chop eggs and pimiento fine. Put onion and celery through food chopper, then mix all ingredients with cream cheese and season to taste. Let stand 15 to 20 minutes or longer before using. Thin to spreading consistency with mayonnaise.

**Beef-Tomato Filling**  
1 pint hot tomato pulp, strained  
2 tablespoons quick tapioca  
½ pound grated cheese  
½ pound dried beef, ground fine  
¼ teaspoon pepper  
¼ teaspoon mustard  
Add tapioca to hot tomato and cook over low flame for 15 minutes. Add cheese gradually and cook slowly until melted. Remove from heat, add beef and seasonings. Cool and store.

**Corned Beef Spread**  
4 ounces cooked corned beef  
½ cup minced sweet pickle  
2 tablespoons mayonnaise  
1 teaspoon prepared mustard  
2 teaspoons minced onion  
2 ounces sharp American cheese  
Salt and pepper  
Cut cheese into tiny pieces and blend with mayonnaise. Add shredded corned beef and remaining ingredients. These sandwiches can be made up with sliced tomato and lettuce, if desired.

**Cheese-Bacon Spread**  
3 ounces cream cheese  
3 ounces Old English cheese  
½ cup chopped, cooked bacon  
½ teaspoon Worcestershire sauce  
½ teaspoon horseradish  
2 tablespoons milk  
Cream cheese mixed with pineapple or orange marmalade, spread on toast, is good when broiled until bubbly.

**LYNN SAYS:**  
Snacks Prove Popular As Weather Cools  
Toasted sandwiches are always popular and take but little time to make with a regular toaster, grill or skillet.

Hot toast can be spread with any number of fillings kept on tap, and served with pickles, relishes, potato chips, carrot sticks, cole slaw, or munched with fresh fruit.

If you want a more nourishing sandwich, dip it into a french toast mixture and fry in the skillet.

## LYNN CHAMBERS' MENU

Baked Lamb Loaf  
Broiled Peach Halves with Mint Jelly  
Baked Potatoes  
Spinach with Cheese Sauce  
Oatmeal Bread or Muffins  
Baked Apples Beverage

Blend ingredients together thoroughly and store until ready to use.

**Liver Spread**  
½ pound calves' liver  
1½ teaspoons salt  
2 cups boiling water  
8 slices cooked bacon  
½ cup soured cream or salad dressing  
2 tablespoons prepared mustard  
2 tablespoons minced onion  
Dash of pepper

Simmer liver in salt and water until tender. Cool and put through fine blade on food chopper. Run bacon through chopper. Mix all ingredients, place in jars and chill until used.

## HERE ARE OTHER well-liked fillings:

Frizzled dried beef browned with onion in the skillet, then mixed with cream cheese.  
Peanut butter mixed with orange marmalade.  
Sliced cooked beef roast with chili butter, made by mixing softened butter with chili sauce to taste.

Chopped ham mixed with mayonnaise and shredded pineapple, drained.  
Grated American cheese mixed with grated raw carrots, grated raw onion and mayonnaise.

USE THESE TRICKS for the lunch box when appetites fail, when there's an exam or some special event.

**Meat Pastries**  
(Makes 4)  
1 cup pastry mix  
1 cup ground leftover meat  
¼ cup tomato soup

Roll out pastry one-eighth inch thick. Cut into four squares. Place a mound of cooked meat on each square. Top with one tablespoon of tomato sauce. Fold pastry squares and pinch edges together. Bake in a hot (400 degree) oven about 20 minutes or until browned. These can be baked if you are making a hot bread in the morning. They are good even when cold and take the place of sandwiches.

**Lunch Box Eggs**  
2 hard-cooked eggs  
1½ inch slice liver sausage  
1 ounce cream cheese  
1 tablespoon milk  
1 teaspoon prepared mustard

Remove shells from eggs and cut in half lengthwise. Remove yolks and mash. Mash liver sausage, blend with cream cheese and milk and egg yolks. Add mustard and blend thoroughly. Refill whites and press eggs together.

Here are other sweets for packed lunches: gingerbread topped with lemon powdered sugar frosting; individual upside down cake made in a custard cup and left in the cup, maple sugar candy, popcorn balls, cookies or puddings.

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Cream cheese mixed with pineapple or orange marmalade, spread on toast, is good when broiled until bubbly.

Canned or cooked tongue, sliced thin, can be spread with pickle relish and toasted.

Salmon and tuna fish salad mixtures make excellent toasted sandwiches. Season the fish salad with horseradish, mayonnaise and salt.

If you don't want young fry or Dad to raid the refrigerator, tack up menus on the pantry shelf, telling what they can use.

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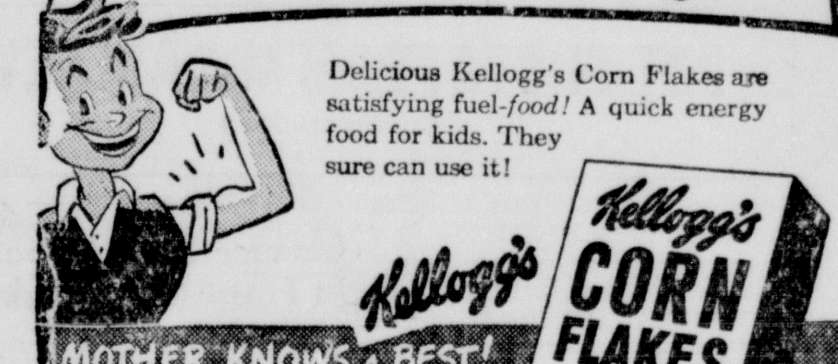
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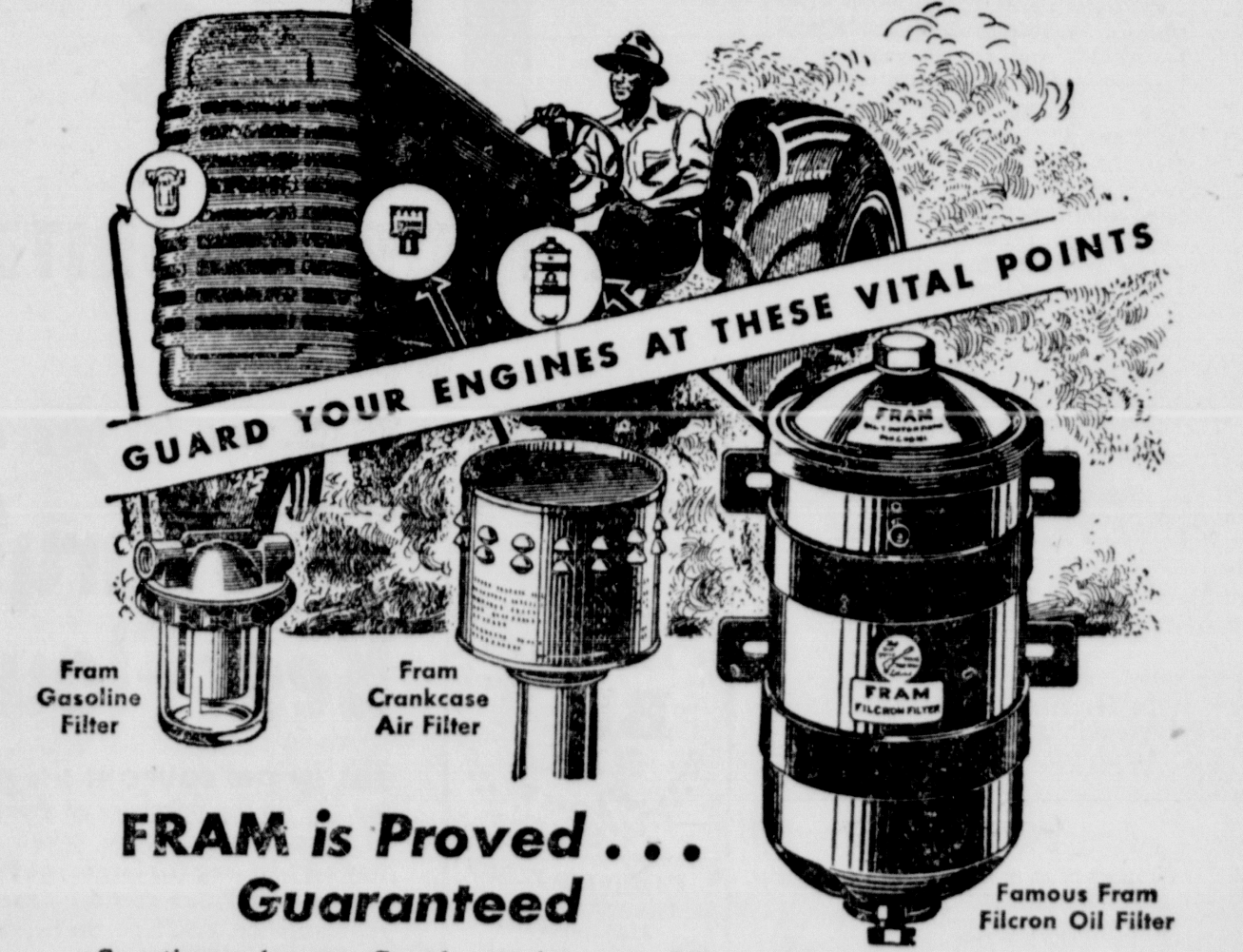
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## POT SHOTS FROM McCAULLEY

GEORGE DARDEN

Sim Reeves, 14, of Fort Stockton walked off with one of the most coveted honors of the State Fair of Texas when he showed his 18-months-old hereford steer, Ferdinand. Sim Jr is the son of Mr and Mrs Sim A Reeves of Fort Stockton. Mrs Reeves is the former Lillian Miers of McCaulley and a twin sister of Mrs George Darden of this city. Sim Jr is a grandson of S E Miers also of McCaulley.

Mr and Mrs Marvin Davison visited his parents Mr and Mrs W F Davison in McCaulley last week-end. Their home is Dallas.

Mr and Mrs Charlie Cooper from Fort Worth and Mr and Mrs W W Grubb from Abilene visited last week in the home of Mr and Mrs W B Mayo.

Miss Patsy Maberry, McMurry College student, was home last week-end.

Miss Mary Ann McCollum, music teacher in Abilene, visited her parents, Mr and Mrs Levi McCollum, last week-end.

Mr and Mrs Rufus Herbst left Saturday for a four-weeks hunt in Colorado, Wyoming and other states. Rufus has his permit and license to hunt elk, bear and deer in those states.

The rain came in McCaulley last Saturday and the folks had a right to be excited. Some saw rain for the first time, at least the babies who arrived within the last 60 days. At least one and one-half inches fell Saturday and Saturday night and wheat farmers are jubilant.

The McCaulley gin had ginned 300 bales prior to Saturday at noon last week. Approximately 40 per cent of the cotton is gathered.

Bundled feed is selling in the field as low as seven cents per bundle in this vicinity. Some is good, too.

The world series and football games were attracting most of the attention in this community last week.

LT W H Pickren from Barksdale Field, Louisiana visited parents in Hamlin and wife's parents in McCaulley last week-end. Mrs Pickren returned with him to their home in Louisiana after a weeks visit in this vicinity.

Several McCaulley stockholders attended the meeting Sunday afternoon in the Hamlin High School when nine new directors were elected to guide the hospital on the road to recovery.

Thanks to Lewis Rector for a years subscription to The Hamlin Herald.

McCaulley's six man football team defeated Sylvester 27 to 0 on the Sylvester gridiron last Friday. Paul Waldrop in the first few minutes of play picked up a Sylvester fumble and ran 10 yards to score. H Fought went over for the extra point. Fought scored in the second quarter on a 30-yard run. A pass from Fought to Hicks accounted for the extra point.

Sylvester's only threat came when Tommy Early picked up a McCaulley fumble and ran 50 yards to be brought down on the five-yard line by Fought. First score for McCaulley came in the third quarter when Hawkins, on receiving the kickoff, raced 60 yards to pay dirt. The last score was when Fought went over center to score, then Fought passed to Lawlis for extra point. Almost all of the B team saw action in the game. Thrills came when little R Y Cozart caught a 30-yard pass from Bud Lawlis and ran to the five-yard line. Lawlis carried the ball over on the next play.

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## Service Station Sold In Hamlin Thursday

Sale of the C & H Service Station, on Central Avenue, was announced this week by L O Carpenter, former owner of the business. The sale was made last Thursday.

New owners of the business are W D Gann, formerly of Anson, and W M Burleson of near Hamlin. Burleson has been employed by service stations here for several months. Gann has been engaged in farming near Anson.

Gann plans to move his family, which consists of his wife and two children, to Hamlin as soon as housing is available.

The name of the station has been changed to the B & H Service Station.

Carpenter, who operated the station for the past nine months, has gone to Odessa, where he is employed, and will move his family there late this week.

## Fire Drill Friday Tests Gade Pupils

With no advance announcement, Hamlin's Fire Department made a run to the Elementary School last Friday afternoon to give the pupils a realistic fire drill.

The students evacuated the building in orderly fashion in less than a minute from the sounding of the fire alarm, according to Mickey McGuire, fire chief.

## ATTENDS FAIR CONTEST.

Dorothy Foster, Avoca 4-H Club girl, left Thursday for Dallas to attend the state 4-H Dress Revue. Expenses for the trip were paid by the Hamlin, Anson and Stamford Chambers of Commerce.

Mr and Mrs Audrey Bush of Texas City and Mrs Minnie Potter of Anson spent Tuesday as guests of Connie Drake.

## Lion Official Talks To Club Here Tuesday

Cleo Carter, superintendent of the schools at Sweetwater, and deputy district governor of Lions Clubs, was the speaker at Tuesday noon's meeting of the Hamlin Lions Club.

Preceding the talk by Carter, Joe Culbertson, chairman for the Boy Scout drive in Hamlin, gave a brief discussion of scout work here and urged participation of local people in the program.

Tarter stressed the work being done by the Lions International in the program for the blind and near-blind, and urged a more active participation in civic and community affairs.

## Local FFA Boys Won Haskell Fair Priezs

Hamlin's FFA members won several prizes for livestock and poultry in the Haskell County Fair last week. It was announced Wednesday.

Eldon Campbell won first and grand champion with his duroc barrow; Ted Kelley won second and third, and Wesley Campbell won fourth in the same division.

Raymond Seifres won first with hamshire sow and litter.

In the poultry division Ray Riley won first, second and third, and W S Wilcox won a first, second and third in ducks and capons.

In the State Fair at Dallas Jack Willingham placed third with a shorthorn steer and thirteenth with a hereford. James Brigham won seventh with a hereford steer.

## EDUCATOR IS VISITOR.

Dr and Mrs C C Rister of Norman, Oklahoma, spent Tuesday night in Hamlin as guests of Mrs M P May. They were accompanied by James Moody, a student in Oklahoma University, who is a nephew of Eugene Holman, president of the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey. The Risters and Moody were enroute to Abilene, where Holman spoke Wednesday at dedication of a new dormitory. Dr Rister is a teacher in Oklahoma University.

Mr and Mrs Clyde Angel spent Tuesday in Temple on business.

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Half Gallon Pure  
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**TANG** ..... 4 5c

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Meal of the Week  
BY MARY LEE TAYLOR

Meat Loaf  
Whole Browned Potatoes  
Creamed Peas  
Cabbage Slaw  
Heated Rolls  
Butter or Margarine  
Pet Apple Pie  
(Recipe below)  
Hot Coffee

NOTE: Starred items (meal of the week specials) in ad will make the meal.

**Pet Apple Pie**

Broadcast: October 2, 1948

2 cups sifted, all-purpose flour  
1 1/2 teaspoons salt  
1/2 cup shortening  
1/2 cup Pet Milk  
6 cups pared apples, thinly sliced  
1 cup sugar  
1 1/2 teaspoons cinnamon

Sift flour with 1 teaspoon salt. Work in shortening. When mixture has appearance of small peas, stir in gradually mixture of 1/4 cup milk and the water. On floured board, roll half of pastry into a 10-inch round. Fit loosely into a deep 9-inch pie pan. Trim, if necessary. Put apples into large bowl. Pour over remaining 1/4 cup milk. With spoon, turn apples gently over and over until all are coated with the milk. Then fold in a mixture of sugar, cinnamon and remaining 1/2 teaspoon salt. Put into pastry-lined pie pan. Roll remaining pastry into 10-inch round. Fold in half; with tip of knife cut several gashes along fold. Moisten edges of pastry in pan with water. Unfold pastry loosely over apples, being careful not to stretch. Fold edge of upper pastry under lower edge. Pinch with fingers to make fancy edge. Bake in hot oven (450° F.) on shelf slightly above center 10 minutes. Reduce heat to slow (325° F.) and bake 50 minutes longer, or until apples are tender and pastry is brown. Cool before cutting.

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